Weather

Cloudy and warm. The maximum temperature yesterday was 86.5 and the minimum 53.2, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 79.7 and 58.3.

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The Mail Box
MAILS for U. S. and Europe, Str. P. Grant, 9 p.m. today.
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CAPTIVES STILL HELD; NEGOTIATIONS ARE FAVORABLE

CALM VIEW OF BANDITRY IS TAKEN BY TRADERS HERE

No Element Of Fright Apparent In Markets

FOREIGN POLICE?

Many Chinese Merchants Would Welcome Intervention

BY DAVID ARAKIE

Easily the outstanding feature of financial developments is the calm view taken by the commercial community of the banditry evils in China. The kidrapping of foreigners and the holding of them to ransom, events stirring as they are have caused scarcely a ripple on the financial waters. Fright has been entirely absent from the markets, and to all intents and purposes the affairs of China go along with the same measured step as before.

The foreign and Chinese merchants and traders are fully conscious of the seriousness of the situation. Many of the Chinese merchants welcome the suggestion of foreign policing of the Railway and go so far as to express their willingness and desire to see international military outposts established in important up country centers. They anticipate good consequences to trade from such occupation, and go to the extent of saying that if a referendum were taken tomorrow on the subject the farmers would support the idea wholeheartedly.

The baneful effects of brigandage and lawlessness on the trade of China in recent years have been a favorite theme with many writers. When comparison is made between the conditions existing today with those prevailing at the time of the Manchu dynasty, there is certainly room for extreme pessimism. It is admitted that recovery from a great revolution must be a continuous slow process and under many setbacks. These disheartening incidents have been recurring with such frequency that the merchant in China has well nigh become desperate.

EFFECT ON TRADE

It is quite evident that the law of demand and supply has been prevented from functioning to its most by the outlawry that has been permeating the country in recent years. Instead we have had hand-to-mouth purchasing of needs, there being no anxiety on the part of the dealers to bid the markets up on themselves in their anxiety to get deliveries of all kinds of goods. The tone of quiet confidence which has prevailed in previous weeks is still existing nevertheless, although in certain directions there is rather a more hesitant feeling, prompted by the uncertainties of the political situation.

This is reflected in curiously diverse ways. The complex situation has, no doubt, reached a stage where a firm hand is necessary and wherein only speedy, definite and, if necessary, direct action could bring China to a clear and complete recognition of her obligations to foreigners in the country and to trade in general.

The position is the more unfortunate because trade has been gradually picking up and adapting itself to the level of prices recently established. The week's undertone, although still healthy, has been impaired to a certain extent by the banditry reports that had rocked the foreign community and the Chinese during the week, which had induced buyers to limit their committments. The whole position is a good illustration of the interdependence of trade on good government and security to life and property.

LARGE TURNOVER

The trade turnover this week was not a large one, but taken as a whole it appears to have been a case of awaiting a better state of affairs. There is a healthier feeling in the piece goods section, a certain briskness

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Great Activity Is Shown By Chinese At Sessions Of Christian Council Here

Delegates Lead Discussion On Functions Of Organisation; Social Research Bureau In Shanghai Is Proposed

Yesterday's sessions of the annual meeting of the National Christian Council were preceded by a gathering held on Thursday evening by the Chinese delegates only for a discussion of their relation to this national body which is the link between the mission forces and the Chinese Christian Church just coming into existence. The meeting of this group of Chinese Christians was held in a Buddhist vegetarian restaurant on Peking Road. While no foreigners were present it is learned that the central theme of this gathering was the amount of responsibility to be taken by the Chinese for their own church. There was unmistakable evidence of this in yesterday's sessions. The topic of the morning was "The Functions of the Newly Established National Christian Council." It was noticable that the discussion was almost entirely conducted by the Chinese delegates and an equally striking element of this meeting is the predominence of young leaders.

The question of what place the National Christian Council is to take in the life of the nation was presented by Dr. Harold Balme, President of Shantung Christian University. To quote from a report presented by Dr. Balme:

"It is not the business of the Council to attempt to bring about an organic union between the various branches of the Christian Church. Such a union, if ever desired by Chinese Christians, could only become effective and permanent as a result of action initiated and maintained from within the Churches themselves. The Council must, however, feel a strong sense of responsibility to do everything it can to promote the fullest harmony and practical co-operation between them, so that each may enter into the heritage of the other, and be enriched by the contribution which it has to offer."

RESEARCH BUREAU URGED

It was argued yesterday that such a council afforded a national clearing house for such information as shall equalise the development of Christianity all over China and make possible the starting of such new lines of work as cannot be carried on by individual churches. There is a strong trend throughout the present conference towards placing all Christian work in China upon a sound scientific basis. It is of interest that several different committees reporting to the Council are recommending the establishment at the Shanghai headquarters of a Bureau of Social Research for the benefit of the whole Christian church of China.

The Council, it was claimed yesterday, will provide a medium of expression on outstanding national issues. While refraining from taking partisan action upon decisive matters it should express the views of the churches and missions on all great public and moral questions. To quote again from Dr. Balme's reports:

"Instead of leaving each local Church to make its own response, and to put up a long fight against such evils as those of opium, or organised prostitution or of industrial conditions detrimental to health and morality, etc., the Council should endeavor to lead all Christian forces to a common stand upon such issues. In this way an enlightened fearless and vigorous public opinion will be created."

STUDIES RECOMMENDED

Out of a wide range of practical issues to which the Council might well turn its attention for the immediate present, four have been recommended for specially study during the year 1913-4. These are (1) Education, (2) the church's attitude to the industrialisation of China, (3) the Christian home, and (4) international relationships. Consideration of the first of these was stimulated by the report presented at the opening of the afternoon session by Dr. Hawks Pott of St. John's University on behalf of the China Christian Educational Association showing that the visit of the distinguished China Educational Commission last winter has already borne encouraging results in a closer coordination of the Christian educational agencies at work in China.

As bearing on the importance of international relationships a

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HOT OUTBURST IN COMMONS OVER FISHING DISPUTE

Labor And Ministerial Members Exchange Epithets

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 10.—There was a warm outburst in the House of Commons today in connection with the sending of H.M.S. Harebell in relief of H.M.S. Godetia to the Russian Coast to take up fishery protection duties as an outcome of the arrest of the trawler, Lord Astor.

Mr. Ronald McNeill said that the Lord Astor was arrested for fishing ten miles off the Murmansk Coast. The British Agent in Moscow had been instructed to obtain the necessary confirmation, and then to demand the immediate and unconditional release of the vessel and the repatriation of the crew. The Harebell's orders were to prevent interference with British vessels outside the three-mile limit, using force if necessary. (Loud Ministerial cheers and Labor cries of "More war").

Mr. George Lansbury (Labor), addressing the Ministerialists, excitedly shouted: "Why don't you send a fleet to New York, you lot of cowards? You're afraid of America!" The Speaker intervened.

In reply to an urgency question by Mr. Ramsay Macdonald, voicing the gave concern of everybody and hoping that at the eleventh hour peace might be maintained between Britain and Russia, Mr. McNeill declared that nothing concerned with the despatch of H.M.S. Harebell would bear the sinister interpretation which Mr. Ramsay Macdonald feared.

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 10.—Reuter's Agency learns that the reply of the Soviet Government to the British Note of April 28, protesting against the seizure of the trawler, James Johnson, several weeks ago, is couched in a moderate tone.

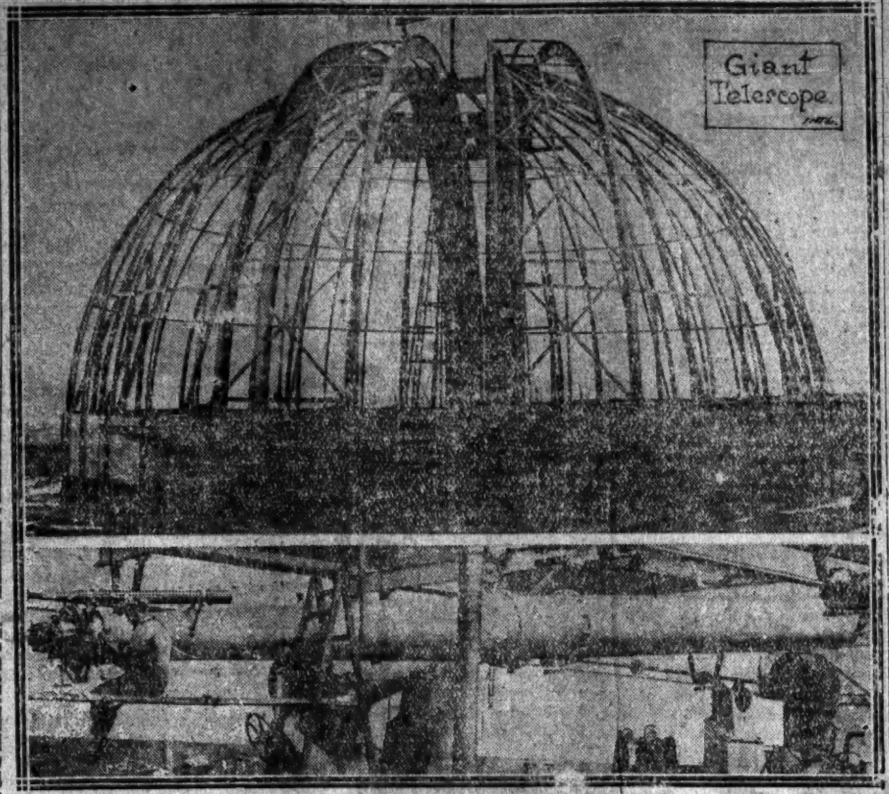
The Soviet claims the right to fix a twelve-mile territorial limit irrespective of international law, but is prepared to submit the matter to arbitration, provided there is no question of infringement of Russian sovereignty and independence.

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 11.—A meeting of the Executive of the Parliamentary Labor Party in the House of Commons yesterday evening decided to telegraph to the Soviet Government expressing grave concern at the despatch of H.M.S. Harebell to Murmansk and begging the Russian Government to refrain from any action which would precipitate a resort to force or an outbreak of war, pending further negotiations upon the British Government's ultimatum. "We are working for peace and a full recognition of the Russian Government and view with alarm any possibility of a rupture before all means to arbitrate and negotiate are tried. We shall be responsible for a debate on the Note on Tuesday next."

The Independent Labor Party has decided to oppose any action of the Government in the way of breaking off trade relations with Russia.

Build Giant Telescope For Russia



THE framework here shown is of the 45-foot dome being built for the Nickolaies Observatory, in Russia. It will house the greatest telescope in the world. The telescope itself is being built at Sir Howard Grubb's plant, at St Albans, England, and will be placed on a revolving turret of steel, 45 feet in diameter. The 40-inch refracting telescope will be the largest in the world adapted to astronomical photography. When completed the telescope will weigh 9 tons. It will be operated by

SOVIET ENVOY AT LAUSANNE SLAIN BY SON OF RED VICTIM

Vorowsky And Two Other Russians Attacked

REVENGE, AIM

Slayer's Father And Uncle Were Killed By Bolsheviks

(Reuter's Service)

Lausanne, May 11.—There is considerable doubt whether the perpetrator of the murder of M. Vorowsky, the Soviet envoy, whose name is Conradi, is in collusion with the local Fascisti. It is now reported that the act was one of private vengeance on account of the murder of Conradi's father and uncle by Bolsheviks.

Conradi is 28 years of age and was born in Petrograd. The deed created a stampede and panic in the dining hall of the hotel. Conradi fired a number of shots. One version says he remained perfectly cool and afterwards called for the police and quietly surrendered.

M. Ahrens was hit in three places. M. Vorowsky's secretary, M. Divilkovsky, and not M. Dimitrieff, was severely wounded. M. Ahrens will probably recover but M. Divilkovsky's condition is grave.

It is reported that Conradi exclaimed when he surrendered: "I have revenged my father and uncle and rid the country of Bolsheviks."

M. Ahrens is reported afterwards to have declared that the crime was the result of the confusion created over the actual position of the Russian Delegation at Lausanne, coupled with want of precautions on the part of the police. It appears that M. Ahrens tried to draw his revolver but he collapsed on account of his wounds.

(Reuter's Service)

Lausanne, May 10.—M. Vorowsky, the Soviet envoy, was shot dead this evening at the Hotel Cecil. Two other Russians, MM. Ahrens and Dimitrieff, were wounded. The assailant is supposed to have been a Fascist.

The Russians were dining when a young Swiss at an adjoining

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HANKOW GASPS AS EX-BANDIT SOLDIERS SAIL

Central China Metropolis Gets Scare When Former Outlaws Pass Through

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Hankow, May, 11.—The brigade under Lau Yang Jen, the notorious bandit who held a number of foreign captives for ransom last year and subsequently surrendered to General Wu Pei-fu when his followers were allowed to be organised into one brigade, arrived here early this week from Chengchow, Honan, on its way to Kiukiang. The forces are ordered by the Loyang potentate to participate in the campaign against Kiangsi, which is being threatened by the expedition of General Li Lieh-chun.

Little discipline was observed. A number of women, believed to be former captive and later converted into members of the bandit families, were seen among the ranks and files of the troops. Shops of some standing were obliged to close their shutters to avoid any possible looting.

The tension was relieved, however, when the entire brigade embarked for Kiukiang yesterday and today.

MANILA HEARS LAWMAKERS IN U.S. GOT BRIBES

Manila Excited In Expectation Of Wood's Revelations

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, May 11.—Intense excitement has been created in political circles by the publication in Washington of a despatch by the Chicago Daily News that Governor-General Wood will publish the names of the United States Senators and Representatives who have received bribes from the funds of the Independence Commission.

All political circles denounce the despatch and brand it as a malicious attempt to insure the independence campaign. Governor-General Wood is uncommunicative regarding the matter.

CHINESE HERE PLAN MEETING TO CONDEMN BANDIT RAID

Huge Gathering Will Pass Resolutions Monday

LOCAL MEN WELL

Wires Received Here Following Henley's Release

DOES ANYONE KNOW?

The American Chamber of Commerce is endeavoring to send clothing and necessary personal effects to the persons still held or recently released and in this connection information is asked of any of his friends regarding the residence of Mr. Henley. The Chamber representative has been called on to forward certain clothing and articles to the latest prisoner to be released and will be grateful if anyone can supply the necessary information.

A mammoth Chinese indignation meeting for the purpose of registering condemnation of all officials held to be responsible for the Lincheng bandit attack and to demand that steps be taken to prevent any similar incident in the future has been called by local Guilds to take place next Monday.

The massmeeting was planned at a gathering yesterday of representatives of the Canton Guild, the Ningpo Association, the Shaohsin Guild, the Wenchow Association and other similar organisations.

It was decided by the meeting to present resolutions demanding the punishment of the Northern warlord Tsao Kun, Inspector-General of Shantung, Chihli and Honan provinces; of Tien Chung-yu, Tuchun of Shantung; Wu Yu-lin, Minister of Communications, and the director of the Tientsin-Pukow Railway, for criminal negligence.

It was furthermore decided by the delegates to present a resolution calling for the organisation of a defense body whose

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ARMY MAJORS' SONS FREE, CAPTIVES WELL TREATED, THEY SAY

Allen And Pinger Boys Say Prisoners, Except Musso, Are In Good Health; Legations Warn Peking Government It Will Be Held Responsible, And Insist Upon Release Of Those Held

By Lloyd ("Larry") Lehrbas
(China Press Staff Correspondent)

Tsaochwang, May 11—Henley released. All captives well except Musso, who is seriously ill.

By Carl Crow

Lincheng, May 11—The two boys, sons of Majors Allen and Pinger, who were taken prisoner by the bandits Sunday night, were released today and are bunking with me tonight. Both are in good health and ate ravenous suppers. They know of no captives in poor health except Musso, whose illness was serious, they said. The boys said the captives were divided into four groups of four or five each. They saw two foreign women, both of whom had been provided with Chinese clothing. Negotiations for the release of the prisoners are continuing satisfactorily.

Note—It is believed that the "two foreign women" referred to are Mrs. Manual Ancira Verea and one other whose identity is not clear. All the women included in the original list of captives except Mrs. Verea have been released or accounted for.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, May 11.—The following is the text of a memorandum handed to the Chinese Government by the Doyen of the Diplomatic Corps on May 9:—

"The Diplomatic Body is impatiently awaiting the result of the measures taken for the immediate release of the captives and repeats the affirmation already made that the Chinese Government will be held responsible for the lives of the foreigners who are in the hands of the brigands and has decided to claim heavy progressive indemnities for every twenty-four hours' delay in the liberation of the captives beginning at midnight on May 12."

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, May 11.—The Chinese report of the release of nine captives yesterday proves to be untrue. The American Legation has received information that Mr. Henry arrived at noon at Lincheng in good condition. He reports that all the captives are well except Commander Musso, who is getting better. Mr. Henley also brought messages from Messrs. Powell, Solomon, Friedman, Rowlatt, Berube and Musso. Within the last 24 hours he saw all the captives except Mr. Smith and the Mexicans, who are probably in another village.

An American doctor has arrived at Lincheng. Medical supplies and food are being brought there for the relief of those released.

PORTUGUESE WAR HERO'S ARRIVAL HERE IS DELAYED

Illness Causes General da Costa To Postpone Trip

Mr. Casanova, Consul-General for Portugal, has received a telegram from His Excellency the Governor of Macao, stating that owing to a sudden indisposition of General Sir Gomes da Costa, K.C.M.G., the date of his departure for Shanghai, which was to have been on the 16th instant, has had to be postponed to a later date, which will be duly announced.

The Portuguese community is planning a reception and a number of other affairs in honor of the distinguished warrior during his stay here.

KEEP AWAY!

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, May 11.—The Legations have received information from their representatives at Lincheng to the effect that an increasing number of friends and relatives are arriving there and hindering the work and hampering the officials. The Legations express the hope that friends will cease going to Lincheng.

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Peking, May 11.—Tuchun Tien Chun-yu of Shantung today wired his request that he be deprived of his office as a punishment for his negligence in avoiding the bandit outrage in his province and be allowed to retain his work pending the release of the captives when he would quit his post entirely.

The name of the bandit chief is given as Sun Mei-lun, who styles his mob as the Restructive Self-Government Army. The motive for the hold-up was money as well as the withdrawal of the government troops which have been pressing them hard round the Paotu Hills.

Tuchun Tien states that in compliance with the suggestion of Dr. Jacob G. Schurman, American Minister with whom he held a lengthy conference shortly after the occurence of the hold-up he is making every effort to effect the release of the captives before taking any action by way of suppressing brigandage.

As a result of arrangements with Minister de Freitas of Portugal, the Doyen of the Diplomatic Corps, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs is exchanging news with the Portuguese Legation every 3 hours. The ministry has despatched Mr. Chin Chi, a secretary, to Lincheng, to assist the Consuls and diplomatic representatives in relief work.

RECOGNITION OF SOVIET BY TOKIO IS STEP NEARER

Joffe Acknowledged As Official Moscow Representative

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, May 11.—Viscount Goto has driven in a wedge in favor of Soviet recognition. The acknowledgement of M. Joffe as the official representative of the Soviet Government, empowered to vise the passports of Japanese desiring to fish in the Maritime Provinces, is regarded as conclusive evidence of the trend of events.

At Viscount Goto's urgent request, M. Joffe cabled to Moscow requesting acceptance of the proposition emanating from the Japanese Government under which Japan and Russia would exchange "commercial commissioners." This request was made six weeks ago but no response was received until Viscount Goto intervened.

Viscount Goto is now the recognised intermediary while Mr. Nagai, formerly Counsellor in London, is dealing with Viscount Goto on behalf of the Government.

Russia has conceded rights to the Japanese to fish and operate in the Maritime Provinces, thus opening the way for further negotiations, which are proceeding, notwithstanding the barrage of opposition by the Conservatives, who are hopelessly outnumbered by the Liberals, Progressives and the commercial parties desiring trade concessions in Siberia.

The question of the recognition of the Soviet is assuming a very prominent position in domestic politics. Both the Government and opposition parties, however, include the most powerful commercial elements in Japan, a combination of which on April 26 signed a contract for timber concessions in Siberia involving the payment of 25,000,000 yen to the Russian Government.

Chinese Here Plan Meeting

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function will be the protection of life and property along the railway line. Another resolution to be put before the massmeeting will carry expressions of regret to the Diplomatic Corps at Peking for "the utter incapability of the Peking authorities to protect the lives and property of foreigners in China."

LOCAL MEN WELL

With the receipt of the news here yesterday afternoon that Mr. J. A. Henley, of the China and Far East Finance and Commerce journal, had been released word came also that other Shanghai men held by the outlaws are in good health with the exception of Chevalier Musso, who is reported to be improving, and that the captives are expecting to be released at an early hour.

Mr. Henry Gensburger, father of Mr. Emile Gensburger, who is held, received a wire which, besides confirming the release of Henley, stated that the latter brought a message to the effect that Messrs. Gensburger, Saphiere and the brothers Elias were well and that negotiations were proceeding satisfactorily and release was looked for in a couple of days.

A message received by the American Chamber of Commerce from Mr. Carl Crow late yesterday afternoon stated that a direct message had been received from Mr. J. B. Powell and that he was in good health. This word is thought to have been brought out by Mr. Henley.

DOCTOR IN CAMP

Little in the way of additional news was received from Lincheng by officials or individuals here during the day. Com. de Rossi, Italian Consul-General, received a telegram dispatched by Captain Ferrajolo Thursday night and stating that the foreign physician was getting in touch with the captives and other reports of yesterday tended to indicate that the physician had got through the lines.

Mr. Paul Page Whitham, of the Asia Development Company whose men were first on the scene in the relief work and did service which brought warm expressions of appreciation from American Minister Schurman, arrived in Shanghai yesterday morning, after himself going down to Lincheng and Taochwang to survey the situation. Mr. Whitham had a conference with Minister Schurman and Consul-General Cunningham yesterday.

It was stated yesterday that many local Chinese organisations are sending delegates to Lincheng with food and clothing for the Chinese victims. The Chinese General Chamber of Commerce representatives, Tung Hsin-sung and Lo Yao-tseng, left for the North yesterday morning and the Ningpo Educational Association has sent Mr. Chin Yu-tsing to the scene.

U. S. MINISTER IS GUEST TODAY OF GENERAL HO

Entertained At Garden Party Yesterday; Mrs Schurman Sails Today

Dr. Jacob G. Schurman, United States Minister to Peking; Admiral Edwin A. Anderson, Commander-in-Chief of the Asiatic Fleet and Mrs. Anderson and officers of the fleet and their wives will be guests of honor at a reception to be given at the Bureau of Foreign Affairs by General Ho Feng-lin, Military Govetnor of Sunkiang and Shanghai and Mr. Hsu Yuan, Special Commissioner of Foreign Affairs at Shanghai, this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Chinese officials, members of the local gentry and directors of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce as well as members of the Municipal advisory committee and their wives are also invited.

On Monday noon, the American University Club will hold a tiffin at the Old Carlton in honor of the American Minister. Mr. H. Y. Moh, president of the club, will preside, while Consul-General Edwin S. Cunningham will introduce the guest of honor.

Minister Schurman, Mrs. Schurman, their niece, Miss Katharine Schurman, Admiral and Mrs. Anderson and other officers of the fleet and their wives were the guests of honor yesterday afternoon at a garden party given by the American Woman's Club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Harold Dollar, Route Pichon.

The Minister and his party were entertained at dinner last night by Consul-General and Mrs. Cunningham and Mrs. and Miss Schurman are leaving for San Francisco this morning by the liner President Lincoln.

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Major Roland Pinger, U.S.A., Fort Santiago, Manila.

Major Robert Allen, U. S. A., Fort McKinley, Manila.

Mr. L. C. Solomon, Block and Company, Astor House.

Mr. Leon Friedman, China Motors.

BRITISH

Mr. Eddie Elias, broker, 8 Seymour Road.

Mr. Freddie Elias, broker, 8 Seymour Road.

Mr. Theo Saphiere, 11 Jinkee Road.

Mr. R. H. Rowlatt, Reiss and Company, Tientsin.

MEXICAN

Mr. Manuel Ancira Verea, Guadaljara, Jalisco, Mexico.

Mr. Emile Gensburger,

ITALIAN

Commander G. D. Musso, Musso and Fischer, 11 Jinkee Road.

FRENCH

Mr. H. M. Bimbe, Shanghai, broker, 51 Rue Massenet.

DOUBTFUL

Mr. M. O. Berube, local French resident whose name is mentioned in dispatches, but who was not listed in the names given of persons on the train.

Mr. Smith, nationality and address unknown, also mentioned in dispatches.

Mrs. Manuel A. Verea. Release not verified, though reports state "all foreign women released."

Another foreign woman, reported seen in captivity by the Pinger and Allen boys.

Visiting Journalist Is Entertained By Prominent Chinese

Mr. E. G. Wise, an Australian journalist, who, accompanied by his wife and daughter, is at present making a pleasure trip through China, was the guest of a number of Chinese friends who had known him in Australia at dinner at the Great Eastern Hotel on Wednesday evening.

Mr. G. Kwok Bew, of Wing On Co., presided, and proposed the health of the guest, referring to his valuable assistance rendered Australian Chinese in his capacity as a journalist. Many of those present had known him for over 20 years, and the dinner was given to enable them to demonstrate that his good work was still appreciated. Mr. Wise, in acknowledging the toast, said he felt gratified at the honor given him, and was certainly pleased to meet many old friends after so many years. He desired to thank them for the opportunities that had been afforded him to closely study the commercial and industrial life of Shanghai, and the information he had gained would help him to confound many of the prejudices that existed against China in Australia, and which was largely responsible for laws of a discriminating character against the Chinese.

Included in the company were Mr. and Mrs. G. Kwok Bew, Mr. and Mrs. Ma Ying Piu, Mr. and Mrs. W. Gockson, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Mee, Miss Daisy Kwok, Mrs. E. G. Wise, Miss Jean Wise, Messrs. D. Leong Chong, C. Chee Sung, and others. Mr. and Mrs. Wise, during their stay in Shanghai, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Kwok Bew.

May Festival Today At McTyeire School

McTyeire School is holding a May Festival (Physical Training Department) on the campus at 1 Edinburgh Road this afternoon, beginning at 3:30 o'clock.

Patrons and friends of McTyeire School are cordially invited to be present.

MACMILLAN SAILING

Mr. Allister Macmillan, F. R. G. S., who is well known in Shanghai, is sailing today by the "Kishgar" for London after a long tour of the Far Eastern seaports, which will form the subject of his new book, to be published about the end of this year. Mr. Macmillan's activities have included the investigation of all branches of commerce and industry, and his forthcoming volume should be [illegible] teresting and useful [illegible] to the conditions and resources of the wide territory with which it will deal.

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Obituary

MR. THOMAS JONES

A large gathering of his many journalistic and other friends attended the funeral of Mr. Thomas Jones, Reuter's commercial news manager, who was cremated at Bubbling Well Cemetary yesterday. The Very Rev. Dean C. J. F. Symons was the officiating clergyman, and among those at the chapel were Mr. W. Turner, general manager of Reuter's in the Far East; Mr. A. Watts, chief editor; Mr. A. E. C. Thompson, Mr. T. Sahara, Mr. A. W. Graham-Brown, Capt. Chapman Leach, Mr. A. Akelmast and Mr. C. E. Sheppherd.

Mr. Jones was only 33 years of age and was born in London and was educated at Owen's School, taking up black-and-white work and furnishing illustrations for the illustrated press. His father was an enthusiastic member of the Japan Society and Mr. Jones developed an interest in the country and came out to Tokio in the summer of 1914 to take up a post in the Japanese Middle School. He was a close Japanese student and became proficient in the language. Later he became affiliated with the Japan Times and Mail and then joined the Kokusai News Agency, coming to Shanghai as their representative in 1919. At the time of his death he was business manager for Reuter's.

Mr. Jones was possessed of a charming personality, he was an entertaining and able conversationalist and had a fine baritone voice which had been heard with pleasure at many amateur performances. His many friends, both here and in Japan will experience a sincere sorrow with his passing.

Many beautiful floral tributes, which after the funeral service, were placed on the graves of deceased British sailors, were sent by:—"Mabel" (his sister), Sir. Roderick Jones (managing director of Reuter's in London), Mr. and Mrs. W. Turner, "An Old Friend," Reuter's London and Shanghai staffs, the Chinese staff at Shanghai, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Bickel, Mr. C. F. G. Jackson, Mr. T. Sahara, Mr. W. J. Cox, Mr. Higashikawa (Osaka representative of Kokusai), Mr. J. M. G. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kennedy, Mr. J. M. H. Clark, the Lotus Club, Directors and editorial staff of the "Shanghai Mercury," and others.

Great Activity By Chinese Of Christian Council

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prophetic note was struck by Miss Tseng, principal of the Yeh-fang Girls' School, Changsha, who stated that while patriotism has been the outstanding characteristic of the present generation in China, internationalism will be that of the generation just ahead and the church must equip itself to international relations of China in the finest possible sense.

ACTION ON OPIUM

The opium traffic was singled out for special attention in yesterday's discussion as a crucial issue calling again for a vigorous campaign of action. It was recommended that the Church should take strong measures to quicken the public conscience regarding the opium evil and to demonstrate to the friends of China who are working on this problem from the outside that there is a strong national feeling upon it in China itself.

The conference breaks up at 4 o'clock each afternoon for tea and thus there is an opportunity for those wishing to get in touch with any of the delegates to find them in the rooms of the Union Church during this half-hour interval.

The latter part of the afternoon yesterday was given to the discussion of the "Interpretation of Christianity for the China of today." The subject was presented by the Rev. Lindel P. Tsen, General Secretary of the Chung Hua Sheng Kung Hui, Wuhu, and Miss Clara Lambert, Principal of the C. M. S. Girls' School, Foochow. There was evidence throughout the discussion of the increasingly large part the Chinese themselves are playing in presenting Christianity to their countrymen thus ensuring an expression of Christianity adapted to China's special psychology and needs as compared with a purely Western form.

TODAY'S SESSION

Today's session will be given up entirely to a consideration of the strengthening of the local churches of China and at 5:30 the conference will adjourn to attend the laying of the corner stone of the new Missions' Building. The site for this future national headquarters for all Protestant mission work in China is on Yuen Ming Yuen Road just back of the British Consulate. The general public is invited to attend this event.

Soviet Envoy At Lausanne Slain

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table rose and fired a number of shots. He afterwards surrendered.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, May 10.—The economic committee of the Lausanne Conference today discussed the question of coasting traffic Customs values, and a commercial agreement. The Turks proposed, first, that the agreement should last 5 years for France, Britain, Italy, Japan or other Powers, and then a compromise that it should last 3 years for all the Powers. The Turks insisted on the suppression of the privilege of coasting trade granted to foreign companies. The sitting was adjourned.

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 11.—It is reported from Lausanne that the Fascisti deny any connection with the murder of M. Vorowsky.

Chinese Arrested As Armed Robber Hangs Self In Cell

A Chinese arrested a few days ago as the leader of a gang of armed robbers who have committed robberies in Shanghai and Sian was found dead in his cell at the police station yesterday morning, having hanged himself with one of his garments.

The man was before the Mixed Court Thursday and was ordered remanded in Custody on the application of Chief Detective Inspector Cruickshank. The police stated that the man was wanted by the Sian authorities as well as locally.

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—	Manchuria	Dep.	19.25	—	—	Vladivostok	Dep.	11.32	—
175	Hailar	Arr.	23.13	—	220	Pogranichnaya	Arr.	21.45	—
		Dep.	23.33	—			Dep.	22.45	0.15
282	Mianduhe	Arr.	1.52	—	330	Mulin	Arr.	2.10	4.40
		Dep.	2.07	—			Dep.	2.25	5.10
371	Buhedoo	Arr.	4.44	—	477	Handaohetsi	Arr.	7.25	11.40
		Dep.	4.59	—			Dep.	7.40	12.10
487	Jalantun	Arr.	7.39	—	579	Emianpo	Arr.	10.44	15.53
		Dep.	7.59	—			Dep.	11.02	16.11
623	Tsitsikar	Arr.	11.07	—	732	Harbin	Arr.	15.30	22.40
		Dep.	11.27	—			Dep.	16.25	—
757	Anda	Arr.	14.07	—	851	Anda	Arr.	19.23	—
		Dep.	14.22	—			Dep.	19.43	—
876	Harbin	Arr.	17.05	—	985	Tsitsikar	Arr.	22.32	—
		Dep.	18.10	8.00			Dep.	22.57	—
1029	Emianpo	Arr.	22.52	14.54	1121	Jalantun	Arr.	2.34	—
		Dep.	23.07	15.10			Dep.	2.54	—
1131	Handaohetsi	Arr.	2.35	19.33	1237	Buhedoo	Arr.	6.32	—
		Dep.	2.50	20.25			Dep.	6.47	—
1278	Mulin	Arr.	7.28	2.20	1326	Mianduhe	Arr.	9.15	—
		Dep.	7.43	2.49			Dep.	9.30	—
1388	Pogranichnaya	Arr.	11.25	7.30	1433	Hailar	Arr.	11.37	—
		Dep.	12.25	—			Dep.	11.57	—
1608	Vladivostok	Arr.	22.10	—	1608	Manchuria	Arr.	15.50	—

*) Mail—trains Nos. 3 and 4 are through trains between Vladivostok and Manchuria eliminating transfer at Pogranichnaya, made up of dining car, first, second and third class sleeping cars and regular first, second and third class non-sleeping cars. Trains are electrically lighted throughout.

**) Freight—Passenger trains No. 5 and 6, between Harbin and Pogranichnaya, carry second, third and fourth class cars. Trains are electrically lighted throughout.

HARBIN—CHANGCHUN

Versts	STATIONS		*Train No. 3 Ch	**Train No. 5 Ch	***Train No. 21 Ch	Versts	STATIONS		*Train No. 4 Ch	**Train No. 6 Ch	***Train No. 22 Ch
—	Harbin	Dep.	23.00	9.20	10.50	—	Changchun	Dep.	23.45	8.15	10.25
47	Shuanchen pu	Arr.	0.28	10.32	12.47	3	Kwanchentsi	Arr.	23.55	8.25	10.35
		Dep.	0.33	10.34	12.55			Dep.	0.04	8.33	10.51
151	Yaomin	Arr.	3.32	13.07	16.48	74	Yaomin	Arr.	1.46	59	13.14
		Dep.	3.47	13.19	17.03			Dep.	2.01	1.11	13.39
222	Kwanchentsi	Arr.	5.39	14.47	19.20	178	Shuanchenpu	Arr.	5.10	12.50	17.33
		Dep.	5.50	14.55	19.30			Dep.	5.18	12.52	17.41
225	Changchun	Arr.	6.00	15.05	19.40	225	Harbin	Arr.	6.40	1 3.5	19.30

*) Mail—trains Nos. 3, and 4, between Harbin and Changchun, are made up of first, second and third class sleeping cars and also first, second and third class non-sleeping cars, and are electrically lighted throughout.

**) Passenger trains Nos. 5 and 6, between Harbin and Changchun, are made up of dining car, first, second and third class sleeping cars and one third class non-sleeping car. Trains are electrically lighted throughout.

***) Freight—Passenger trains Nos. 21 and 22, between Harbin and Changchun, carry second, third and fourth class cars. Trains are electrically lighted throughout.

British Reply To German Note To Propose Conference

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 10.—Reuter's Agency learns that the final touches are being put to the British reply to the German reparations offer, which is separate from but understood to be much on the same lines as the Italian reply, now in course of preparation.

The Allies, including the United States, will probably receive a copy of the British Note, and London and Rome will exchange copies of their respective Notes before they are delivered to Germany.

Replying to questions in the House of Commons, Mr. Stanley Baldwin said that the Government did not propose to exchange views with regard to the German offer with the United States, who did not claim reparations.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, May 10.—The Petit Parisien learns that the British and Italian replies to the German Note will propose a conference, to which America will be invited, to settle the Ruhr and reparations questions.

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 10.—It is reported from Mayence that a court-martial has sentenced twenty high German railway officials to terms of imprisonment, ranging from 4 to 10 years, on charges of espionage and inciting railwaymen to resist the orders of the authorities.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, May 10.—At Essen the municipal workers' and tramway employes' organisations have decided on a 5-hour strike of protest tomorrow.

The station-master at Merkinde has been arrested on a charge of sabotage.

The miners on strike at Duesseldorf have resumed.

The Manesmann Rehrwerk mines at Duisburg have refused to pay an overdue bonus, more than 25,000 workers have declared a strike.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, May 10.—The Executive Councils of the German Trade Unions have issued a manifesto declaring that they are ready to collaborate in the payment of the reparations to the limits of possibility but that the passive resistance of the workers in the Ruhr is a spontaneous movement, which cannot be suppressed even by the most cruel force, and will continue as long as the illegal situation in the Ruhr and in the Rhine lasts.

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 10.—The Ruhr again monopolised attention in the House of Commons today on the occasion of Sir John Simon (Liberal) moving the reduction of the Foreign Office vote to draw attention to the decree, promulgated in the Saar Valley, imposing heavy fines and imprisonment for criticising the Treaty of Versailles or the administration under it, including the League of Nations.

Mr. Asquith challenged the legality of the decree which had gone forth in the name of the League of Nations. He described it as "a more despotic piece of work than anything in the annals of Russia and the greatest blow ever struck against League authority."

Lord Robert Cecil demanded withdrawal of this "action worthy of Prussian militarism." He regretfully expressed the opinion that joint Anglo-French action was impossible in view of the last French Note.

Mr. Ronald McNeill, the Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, replying, agreed that the decree itself had not a defender in the House of Commons, but he doubted the wisdom of immediately bringing the decree before the League and uncompromisingly denouncing it. He thought that the actual procedure of the French administration had been greatly exaggerated.

Mr. McNeill declined to make a broad statement regarding the Ruhr pending the despatch of the reply to the German Note, but declared that the bed-rock of British policy remained the maintenance of the Anglo-French alliance.

The motion was rejected by 238 votes to 143.

FOCH LEAVES

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, May 10.—Marshal Foch left Warsaw for Cracow today.

CHEKA ON RAMPAGE

(Reuter's Service)

Warsaw, May 10.—It is reported from Riga that the Cheka has arrested 1,200 persons in Georgia. Two hundred of them have been shot.

LABOR MEMBER SAYS LOST SHIP WAS DEATH TRAP

Vessel Long Known To Be Unseaworthy, He Charges

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 10.—Serious allegations were contained in a question asked in the House of Common today by Mr. Thomas Johnston (Labor) as to whether the Board of Trade was aware that letters, written at the beginning of March by officers of the British India steamer, Okara, had been received in Britain declaring that the ship was unseaworthy. Mr. Johnston asked whether some of the plates were only one-eighth of an inch thick, whether holes could be hammered into them and whether the life-boats at boat drill were filled with water.

Lieutenant-Colonel Albert Buckley, the Parliamentary Secretary to the Overseas Trade Department, undertook to investigate. He added that, as far as could be ascertained, the vessel had not been examined for many years as she had not sailed in home waters.

The Speaker informed Mr. Johnston that he must give notice of a question whether any authority in India was examining British vessels engaged in coastal traffic.

Brilliant Party For British King

(Reuter's Service)

Roma, May 11.—King George and Queen Mary were entertained to a banquet at the British Embassy last night. The guests included Signor Mussolini and other Ministers. A brilliant reception followed, which was attended by the whole of official and aristocratic Rome.

Cotton Wages To Stand Till 1924

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 10.—A conference of representatives of every section of the cotton industry, both employers and operatives, at Manchester today agreed that the present wage rates should be stabilised at least till January 25, 1924, whereafter the employers would be free to reopen the question, on giving one month's notice. The operatives agreed not to apply for a general advance before September 25, 1924.

Farley To Head U. S. Ship Board

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, May 11.—It is announced that Mr. Edward P. Farley, Vice-President of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, has been appointed Chairman of the United States Shipping Board in succession to Mr. Albert D. Lasker.

Banditry Fails To Disturb Trade

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being noticeable. On the other hand, there is a lull in the cotton and yarn markets, the trading in the latter showing little expansion over previous weeks. The important province of Szechuen has kept away with the consequent result that the week's sales of cotton yarn comprised small lots to dealers from other provinces. Although it is as yet early to think of the next season's crops of cotton and rice the purchasing of manufactured yarn will be delayed until the sowing of cotton and rice is completed. The arrivals of cotton are getting scarcer, but prices are slightly lower than last week.

The rice market has been fairly steady, with cargo moving into the interior rather smoothly, and Chinese buyers, who had previously contracted cargo are honoring their committments. Arrivals have been small, a few thousand tons coming from Rangoon and Saigon. Present stocks in Shanghai are about 20,000 tons. Some 1,000 to 1,500 tons have moved into Hangchow and Ningpo. Hangchow is the distributing center for Shaoshing and Kashing districts, while Ningpo is another distributing center in the southeast part of Chekiang province. No new business is reported owing to the high rates prevailing in the consuming marts, higher than local quotations. It is expected that within another month there should transpire a large trade in rice. Present Shanghai supplies are considered light.

Actual trading in new crop Chinese wheat has not yet commenced, but speculators have been known to indulge in a little pecking at about Tls. 3.30 per picul, which is almost the same as the opening rate last season. Reports coming into Shanghai speak of a good crop, but a great deal will depend upon the state of the weather during the remainder of this month. Only a small amount of business is being transacted in flour.

Arrivals of imported flour are decreasing and with the prospects of Chinese wheat coming on the market shortly importations of American and other flour into China should cease for the time being. Local stocks are also decreasing, owing to a good demand from Tientsin, the Chekiang Province, Swatow and Amoy. Shanghai supplies are estimated at about 200,000 sacks. Ruling quotations for American flour are considered too high for local needs. There is generally a better feeling the flour market, and a good brisk trade should be witnessed in the course of the next few weeks.

Seattle and Tacoma flour exports to the Orient in March were 299,180 bbls. as follows: to Shanghai, 100,549; Hongkong 84,207; Yokohama, 32,375; Tokio, 4,875; Kobe, 555; Dairen, 5,010; Tientsin, 500; Swatow, 14,625; Amoy, 12,000; Foochow, 8,200; Manila, 21,509; Cebu, 4,150; Iloilo, 4,125.

£ 50,000 Offered For Helicopter

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 10.—The Air Council announces the conditions of the competition for its prizes of £50,000 for a helicopter rising vertically to 2,000 feet. Entries must be sent before April 30, 1924.

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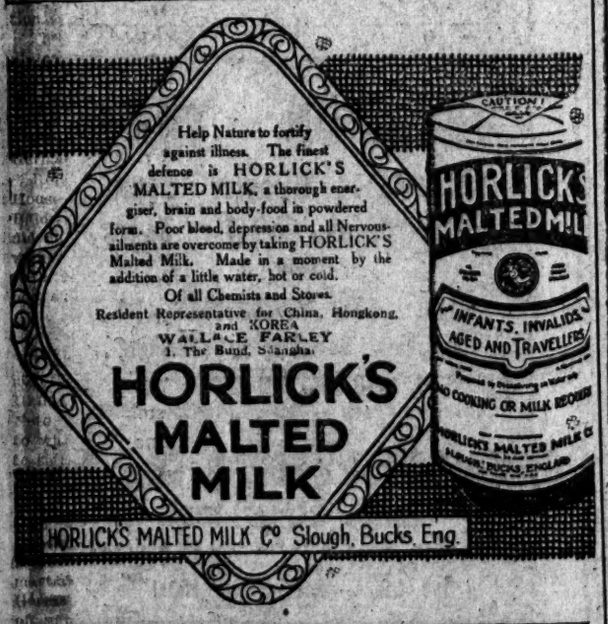

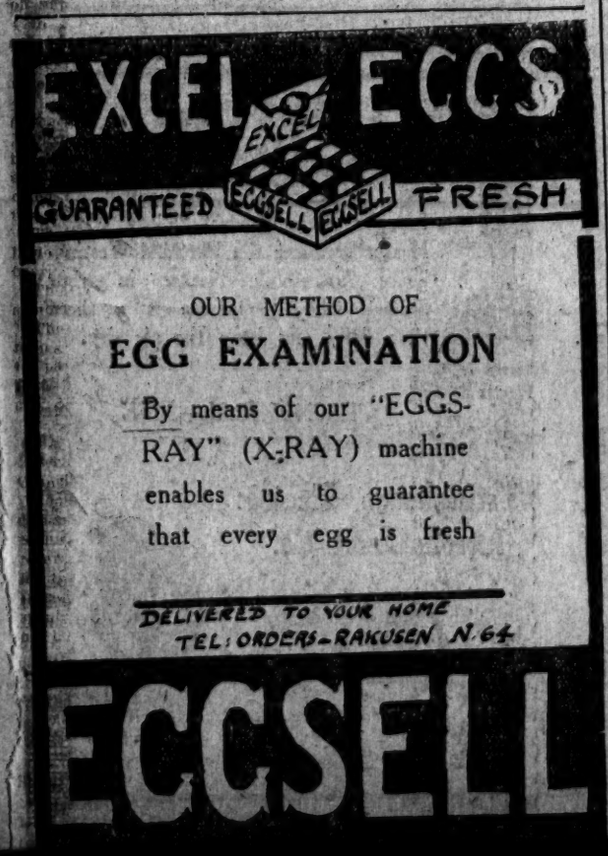

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FUKIEN CHIEF IS ISOLATED; SEEKS FRESH ALLIANCE

New Pact Between Sun Chuan-Fang And Kuomingtang Expected Shortly

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Foochow, May 11.—The defeat of Shen Hung-yin, Tuli of Kwangtung, in the hands of Dr. Sun Yat-sen, is making great changes in the Fukien political situation. A strong offensive alliance has been concluded between General Chung-chi, Li Lieh-chun, Chwang Tse-ping and Ling Hu for the purpose of conducting an anti-Kiangsi expedition.

General Wang Yung-chien, who for sometime hesitated about his political allegiance, has definitely cast his lot with the Kuomingtang leaders on account of the sudden change. On the other hand, General Sun Chuan-fang, Tuli of Fukien, is seeking an alliance with the Constitutionalist party through the good office of Wang Yung-chuan, because he has found himself to be isolated in Fukien.

When General Sun entered Foochow, he depended on Tsai Cheng-hsuan of Kiangsi and Shen Hung-yin of Kwangtung for assistance. Today Shen is routed, while Tsai is unable to furnish any reinforcements or supplies. Within the capital of Fukien, Sun is being hampered in his duties by Admirals Liu Kwan-hsun and Sah Cheng-ping, neither of whom approves his appointment as Tuli; while without, Generals Hsu and Chwang are watching for opportunities.

Placed in this predicament, General Sun has offered through Wang Yung-chuan, to join the Kuomingtang alliance in Fukien. As a result, negotiations are being carried on between representatives of Sun and Chwang on the terms of the new combination; and, it is understood, a pact will be signed shortly.

Another cause of Sun's anxiety to come to terms with Chwang is because of the presence of General Lu Hsin-pang's forces between Foochow and Yenping. General Lu is at the head of 7,000 crack soldiers of the Fukien self-government army with headquarters at Yuchihsien. He is closely allied to Chwang and in case of military operations, Lu could make Sun's seat of government in Foochow decidedly uncomfortable.

Local gentry learns with relief of the proposed alliance, which would, they believe, put an end to further warfare, or outside aggression, in the province, at least for some time.

Row In Canton Over Salt Taxes

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Canton, May 9.—The foreign District Salt Inspector, Mr. W. N. Ferguson, upon instruction from the Chief Inspector, Sir Ernest C. C. Wilton, in Peking has again withheld the official seal, deposited it with the British Consulate-General and has suspended the collection of the salt tax in protest against Dr. Sun Yat-sen's appointing a Chinese Inspector. Dr. Sun Yat-sen's appointee, Mr. Ng Nie-hong, has announced that the collection of the tax will go on as usual.

Mr. Tang Shao-yi visited Dr. Sun Yat-sen today and afterwards departed for Shanghai. It is stated that he expects to return within six weeks.

The report that the Northern troops have evacuated Shiukwan is now confirmed.

Since the report of the kidnapping of the foreigner, Mr. Rowson, in south-western Kwangtung and also the bandit outrage in Shantung have given rise to unfavorable comment by foreigners, the Canton Government has given special orders for vigorous suppression of piracy and brigandage.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Canton, May 10.—General Lin Fu, who recently pledged his loyalty to Dr. Sun Yat-sen, was asked or given an order to fight General Shen Hung-ying but he refused. He has now again turned against Dr. Sun Yat-sen and is beginning an attack on the pro-Sun Yat-sen forces at Waichow and is cutting off communications. Dr. Sun is sending reinforcements to General Hsu Chung-chi, who is commanding the Cantonese forces at Waichow.

The Salt Inspector, Mr. Ng Nie-hong, is officiating and collecting the salt tax in spite of the withdrawal of the foreign Inspector, Mr. W. N. Ferguson.

News Brevities

Mr. A. Covey, the Coroner, Registrar and Official Receiver of the British Court, retires today and joins the firm of Seth, Mancell and McLure. His successor arrives here from London next week.

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A small Chinese girl was found wandering on the streets Thursday and when questioned by Police it was found out that she ran away from her home in Quinsan and walked here. She was brought up at the Mixed Court yesterday before Assessor Whitamore and Magistrate Tsang and was turned over by them to the Door of Hope, who are willing to take care of her.

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A. P. Frank Tannenbaum was charged at the Mixed Court yesterday morning with stealing a platinum chain valued at $1,000. The Police asked for remand as no further instructions from Tsingtao where the case originated have been received. The hearing was adjourned and the defendant was released on personal bond. Mr. W. S. Fleming appeared for defense.

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Mr. Maitland appeared at the Mixed Court yesterday for the Police in charging the proprietor of the Hongki Dairy, 142 North Szechuen Road, with adulterating cream to the extent of 23 percent milk. Owing to previous charges of the same nature Assessor Whitamore and Magistrate Tsang fined him $100, with a warning The defendant stated that he would return the licence at the end of the month as he did not want to go on with the business.

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A lad of 18, by the name of Dzung Ding Foo, was found hanging and dead at about 6 a.m. yesterday at 112 Woosung Road, where he resided with his married sister. There appeared to have been trouble over money matters. The deceased retired as usual about 7 p.m. Thursday. No inquest necessary was the verdict returned by Messrs. Whitamore and Tsang yesterday at the Mixed Court.

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Wong San, a steward on the s.s. President Taft was brought up at the Mixed Court yesterday before Messrs. Whitamore and Tsang on a charge of having in his possession on May 10, at about 9 p.m. 2 Mauser pistols and 201 rounds of ammunition. The accused, when arrested, said that the arms were found by him in the cabin 109, and on enquiries it was found out that an American lady travelled from America to Hongkong in the cabin. Later on the accused said that he found the arms in cabin No. 115 under the bed, and it was found that there were two ladies traveling there. Mr. L. K. Kentwell appeared on behalf of the defendant and pleaded guilty. The accused was sent to prison for six months and the pistols and ammunition confiscated.

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Information from Hongkong is to the effect that Mr Charles Workman's death is believed to have been due to ptomaine poisoning. He attended the St. George's Day ball at Kobe on April 24, where one of the dishes he partook of was crab, and this is believed to have caused ptomaine poisoning.

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Mrs. H. H. Fox arrived in Shanghai Thursday from Peking, having travelled by the Tientsin-Pukow Railway. It is understood that she is shortly proceeding on a trip to Java.

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The annual general meeting of the Shanghai Branch of the China Association will be held at the Shanghai Club on Tuesday, May 15, at 5 p.m.

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Among the arrivals at the Palace Hotel are Mr. Edward Friedman, America; Mr. W. Lyons, Peking; Mr. Pries, Nanking; Mr. H. B. Cunningham, Nanking; Mr. Alex M. Peabody, Peking; Mr. Y. Lederlin, Peking, and Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Rabb, Hankow.

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The annual examination for St. Andrew's Society Bursaries will be held in the Public School for Girls, Boone Road, today at 2 p.m. The following schools have entered lists of competitors: Public School for Girls 13; Public School for Boys 11, Thomas Hanbury School for Boys 3; French Municipal School 1, St. Joseph's Institute 2; Total 30. The examination will be conducted by R. G. Dowie, F. E. I. S., and will last about four hours. Teas being served at 4 p.m.

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A graduating pianoforte recital will be given at the McTyeire School, 1 Edinburgh Road, at 8 p.m. May 17 by Miss Waung Li Faung.

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Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Ezra and child are among the passengers leaving today on the President Lincoln for San Francisco.

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The annual meeting of the Men's Total Abstinence League is to be held on Wednesday Afternoon, at 5:30, at 12 Jinkee Road, when the future of the League will be up for discussion.

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Among passengers who arrived here from Hongkong by the steamer President Lincoln yesterday were Major-General Sir John and Lady Fowler and Misses L. and M. Fowler, who are proceeding to Weihaiwei. Major-General Fowler is Chief Commanding Officer of the British Forces in China.

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The new Lodge of the Girls' Friendly Society will be opened this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Herbert J. Molony.

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Mr. Fletcher S. Brockman, of the International Committee Y.M.C.A. and first National General Secretary of the Y.M.C.A. in China, will address the Sunday Service League at 5 p.m. tomorro on "The Makers of a New Civilisation." Miss Bernice Auston will sing.

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The American Returned Students' Union held a fellowship dinner last night, Mr. H. Y. Moh, president, was toastmaster and short speeches were made by Dr. W. S. Now, Loy Chang, Andrew Zange and Wang Kwang. A musical program was also rendered. Over 80 members attended.

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Mrs. Charles Eyton, better known to thousands of motion picture fans as Kathleen Williams, heroine of many thrilling serial films, is among the passengers sailing for San Francisco today by the President Lincoln.

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Arrivals at the Palace Hotel include Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Cadman and child, from Tientsin; Mrs. T. E. Watts, from Tientsin; Capt. St. Clair Smith, U. S. Naval Attache, from Peking; Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Currie, from Swatow; Mr. W. T. Thornley, from Nagasaki; Dr. E. A. M. Gendreau, U.S.N., U.S.S. Sacramento; Mr. A. C. MacKenzie and Miss MacKenzie, from Nankang, and Miss P. R. Guiston, from Nanking.

Bank To Liquidate; Depositors Get Half

(Reuter's Service)

Calcutta, May 10.—The shareholders of the Alliance Bank of Simla unanimously passed a resolution voluntarily to liquidate. The proposal to appoint an auditor of the Imperial Bank of India as liquidator was rejected, but the Chairman said that, if the depositors were to get the benefit of an immediate payment of 50 percent, the liquidation must be supervised by the Imperial Bank of India, to which the appointed liquidator agreed.

Radio Club Members To Woosung Today To Inspect Station

Members of the Chinese Amateur Radio Club, formed recently, will pay a visit this afternoon to the Chinese radio station at Woosung. Permission for the excursion has been given by Mr. Y. C. Fong, chief engineer of the station, and the club members will assemble at the Shanghai North station at 2:15 p.m.

The secretary of the club, Mr. Tsing Fi-wang, announces that any radio fan wishing to join in the trip is cordially invited to do so.

Tomorrow's Concert

Following is the program for the thirty-eighth symphony concert to be given at the Town Hall at 5 p.m. tomorrow by the Municipal Orchestra:

1.—Overture "Cyrano de Bergerac" ..... Wagenaar (1st Performance)
2.—Second Suite to Ibsen's Dramatic Poem: "Peer Gynt" Grieg
(a) Ingrid's Complaint
(b) "Arabian Dance"
(c) "The Return of Peer-Gynt" (Storm on the Coast)
(d) "Solvejg's Song"
3.—Symphonic Poem "Finlandia" Sibelius
4.—Unfinished Symphony Nr 3 in A minor .... Borodine
(a) Moderato assai (Piu mosso-animato)
(b) Scherzo: Vivo
5.—Dances from "Le Prince Igor" Borodine
(Allegro-Presto-Moderato alla breve-Presto-Allegro con spirito)
Conductor: Maestro Mario Paci.

TAX RESCINDED

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, May 10.—The tax on foreigners landing at Spanish ports has been rescinded.

LAY CORNERSTONE OF NEW MISSIONS BUILDING TODAY

Today at 5:30 p.m. the foundation stone of the new Missions Building in Yuen Ming Yuen Road will be laid by Dr. J. Walter Lowrie.

The Missions Building is planned to privide headquarters accommodation for the National Christian Council, the China Medical Missionary Association, the China Christian Education Association, the Associated Mission Treasurers and such other missionary organisations as may desire to have administrative offices in Shanghai.

12 BURN TO DEATH

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, May 10.—Twelve persons were burned to death as a result of an explosion at a petroleum well at Corsicana, Texas.

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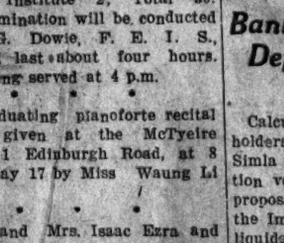
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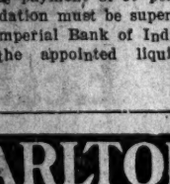

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East China Basketball Team To Carry China's Colors At Osaka Games

Quint From North Eliminated In Fast Match Here; Four St. John's Regulars And One Graduate On Five

BY K. S. CHANG

The East China Basketball team won the Chinese National Championship yesterday afternoon when they defeated the players from North China in a thrilling game at the Chinese Public Recreation Ground at West Gate, thereby gaining the privilege of representing China in the Far Eastern Olympic Games. The score was 24-17, which is a fair measure of the difference in the basketball ability of the two sections of the country.

The game was staged under ideal weather conditions and before a crowd of several hundred people who watched China's best players in action with keen interest. Although there was a little roughness here and there, play was fast and clean on the whole. Mr. Don, physical director of Hongkong "Y", handled the game well, and it was through his tact and quick decisions that rough playing was kept at a minimum.

It was the first time North China has met defeat in the annals of intersectional competition in basketball. In previous years North China always had won the honor of representing China and they did well every time, defeating the Filipino and Japanese teams.

The game yesterday opened with a few minutes' of scrappy play, due to the over anxiety and nervousness on both sides. Y. T. Hwang of the North China team was the first to score after about five minutes of play, and the first goal was immediately followed by another by Liu, the northern left forward. East China then returned the attack. Tyau, the crack left forward, tossed the ball into the net at a very difficult angle and opened the score for the winners. A foul shot was then awarded and was scored. Then the Northerners piled three goals in rapid succession, and it looked like that the Shanghai men would not catch up. But Tyau succeeded in scoring one goal which was followed by another on foul line and near the end of the first half time, Tsang also contributed one. The interval saw the score as 10 to 9, with the North China team leading.

The second half saw something different in the East China quintet. They evidently had changed their system of attack. Instead of long and high passes which they used in the first half, they now played with short and low passes. This change showed results for they were soon ahead of the northern team in the score. Every one of the team succeeded in netting one or two goals.

By virtue of this win, the East China team not only captured the national title in basketball, but also gained the right of going to Osaka tomorrow to fight with teams of Japan and Philippine Islands. It is to be remembered that the East China team is composed of four St. John's regulars and one graduate.

The summaries:

North China		East China
T. H. Chang	lf	C. H. Tyau
H. E. ...n	rf	K. L. Oo
C. Y. Liang	c	C. T. Zung
S. C. Lee	lg	F. S. Tsang
Y. T. Hwang,	rg	T. T. Mo
C. C. Hsu		

Goals from fouls: Tyau 4, Liu 1. Goals from floor: Tyau 3, Chang 3, Oo 2, Yung 2, Tsang 2, Yiu 3, Li 1, Hwang 1. Time—4.20 minute periods. Referee: Don.

BASEBALL SUNDAY

Manager Gallop of the Shanghai baseball team announces a game for tomorrow, beginning at 3 p.m. Sharp, between the Shanghai team and the nine from the U. S. S. Rainbow, now in port. The locals have had some good practicing weather this week and ought to be in fair condition. Work will start next week on the grand stand and club house.

H'KONG CRICKET TEAM HERE FOR INTERPORT GAME

Elaborate Program Of Entertainment Ahead; Play Wednesday

The Hongkong Interport cricket team, which was due to arrive here last night, will be guests this evening at a vaudeville show at the Lyceum Theater in the first of a series of entertainments that are to be given in their honor while they are here.

The Interport game will be played on Wednesday afternoon, and the visitors are to have the use of the field Monday and Tuesday for practice. The Shanghai teams, consisting of Possibles and Probables, will play again tomorrow, after which the final selections for the Interport representatives will be made.

The visiting players are due to face a stiff schedule of social engagements while they are here. Following the party at the theater tonight there will be a dance at the Astor House on Monday evening, and on Tuesday evening there will be another dance at the Country Club. On Friday the Interport dinner will be held at the Shanghai Club, and on Saturday there will be another theater party at the Lyceum, the proceeds of which will be donated to the London Hospital.

The Shanghai candidates for cricket honors were at it again yesterday, perfect weather having made the pitch very fast. The batsmen showed good form and were lacing them all over the lot. It is a continuation of this game that is to be played on Sunday.

ALL AMERICANS EXCEPT OUIMET ARE ELIMINATED

Tolley And Wethered Also Go Into Sixth Round

(Reuter's Service)

Deal, May 10.—Ouimet was the only American survivor at the end of the fifth round. He knocked out Neville in the fourth round by two holes and then had a very narrow squeak against Bretherton (Handsworth), winning at the 18th hole. Hope (Turnberry) defeated Rotan in the fourth round by 3 and 2, but Tolley beat him in the fifth round by one hole. Wethered beat Willing in the fifth round by 2 and 1.

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 10.—In the semi-final of the Ladies Golf Championship Mrs. Macbeth of Bowden sensationally defeated the holder, Miss Wethered, by 2 and 1. Miss Chambers of Wirral beat Miss Brown of Formby by 3 and 2.

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STANDING OF CLUBS
May 2

National League

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	9	4	.693
Chicago	7	5	.583
Philadelphia	5	4	.556
Pittsburgh	6	6	.500
Cincinnati	6	6	.500
Boston	5	6	.456
St. Louis	5	7	.417
Brooklyn	3	8	.273

American League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	9	3	.750
Detroit	8	4	.667
New York	7	4	.637
Philadelphia	5	4	.556
Boston	4	6	.400
Washington	4	6	.400
St. Louis	3	7	.300
Chicago	2	8	.200

New York by losing one and Chicago by dropping two has stopped what promised to be a runaway race in the National League. Philadelphia is in third place and Cincinnati and Pittsburgh are tied for fourth position. Boston jumped into sixth place by defeating the Giants in a heavy hitting game. St. Louis beat Pittsburgh but is still in seventh place. Brooklyn occupies the lowly cellar berth and is getting deeper in the rut every day. Big scores have taken a slump in the National but New York continues to figure in some hard hitting contests.

New York dropped to third position in the American League, Detroit moving up a notch. Cleveland won two and is firmly in first place. The Indians are still keeping up their winning streak and have developed into real contenders although it is doubtful if they can stand the pace. Philadelphia is in the fourth place by a good margin with Washington and Boston tied for fifth place. St. Louis and Chicago are still slumping badly and fighting it out for the cellar position.

WINS CAPTAIN'S CUP

The Junior Golf Club play for the Captain's Cup, 18 holes, medal play, was a victory for Mr. W. Huggett, with a net score of 77. Messrs. J. E. Harvey and A. McLeod tied for second place, with net scores of 82, and in the replay Mr. Harvey beat Mr. McLeod, 78-84.

Mr. J. Ross Young, the donor, presented the trophies, and congratulated the winners.

'A' Co., British, May Cup Results

"A" Company British held their May Monthly Cup Competition on Friday at 6:30 a.m. The weather was hazy with a tricky fish-tail wind from the South.

The following are the best scores returned, after deduction of current handicaps:—

	300 yds. small	400 yds. large	Total	H'cap %	Net H.F.S. 70
"A" Class					
Sgt. A. C. Godby (a)	30	31	61	7.0	56.73
L/Cpl. R. W. Burton	29	32	61	8.5	55.81
Sgt. M. J. F. D. Hodges (b)	30	34	64	23.25	49.1
"B" Class					
Pte. J. Moll M. C.	29	33	62	4.25	59.37
Cpl. A. Furthorpe	27	29	56	4.25	53.62
L/Cpl. Davies Colley	27	22	49	net	49.00
"C" Class					
Pte. C. C. Roberts	17	20	37	net	37.00
Pte. W. B. Hughes	18	16	34	net	34.00

(a) Wins third leg and cup outright future handicap 5.50%.
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Cricket Results

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 10.—Yorkshire beat Worcestershire at Worcester today by an innings and 113 runs. Oldroyd make 194 for Yorkshire, and Rhodes took 5 wickets for 35 in Worcestershire's second innings.

ENGLAND WINS

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, May 10.—England beat France by 4 goals to 1 in an International Association football match played here today.

RACES TODAY

The final card of the spring race meeting program will be run off today at the Shanghai track. The first saddling bell will be at 1:15 o'clock.

A number of good races are scheduled, with most of the ponies that were in the Champions race again billed to appear. Following this meeting the track will be through for the summer as far as racing is concerned; main interest in racing will shift for a time to the Kiangwan track.

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Cotton Report

In their weekly report on the Shanghai Cotton market, Messrs. A. S. Rosenfeld and Son write as follows:

China Cotton.—We had an uneventful week in the cotton market with the extreme range in quotations at three quarters of a tael and which closed yesterday at a decline of practically half a tael as compared with last week's closing quotation. Receipts from the interior marts are still small and in consequence of this, the predominating sentiment continues to be in favor of steadied prices, but the uncertainty which has been felt in the future, has prevented the broadening of speculation. It looks to us, therefore, as if the market has been bulled to a standstill. We do not wish to be enthusiastic on the bear side, but we think that the recent advance is all that can be expected and that the next fluctuation of consequence is more likely to be downward. For the present, therefore, we advise selling conservatively on little bulges and taking profits on weak markets.

The chief interest from now on will be centred on the planting of the new crop, preparatory work commencing in this connection within the next few days and we shall continue to report on the progress from week to week as we have done in previous years.

Yarn:—The market during the past week has had a steady undertone. Prices declined one to two taels as compared with last week's level. In all some 7,000 to 8,000 bales of various counts and chops of local products have been bought up by Swatow, Weihaiwei, Chefoo, Tsingtao, Kiangse, Hankow Wuhu, Changsha, Fukien and Newchwang dealers. For the present, we are of the opinion that the market will be quiet until the planting of rice and cotton is over and then we anticipate that farmers will be more interested in the manufactured product.

SPUNT'S REPORT

Messrs. J. Spunt and Company write as follows in their weekly report on the cotton market:

China Cotton:—Prices during the past week have shown a somewhat easier undertone and what ever transactions have taken place were done on a very small scale. Mills in general evince very little interest in any offerings even at comparatively moderate rates and appear to be sufficiently stocked to carry them over to the time when developments in the progress of the new season crop, which is now about to be planted, become more discernible. The yarn situation has so far not manifested any improvement and, a major portion of the Chinese Mills have still further curtailed their spindleage with a view to induce more favorable conditions for their output. Prices in Mid-Americans and Indians, though showing lower figures than in the preceding week are offset by the easier tone in the exchange rates thus nullifying any advantage that could have been gained otherwise. The hitherto bullish attitude of holders of the balance of this season's stocks though undergoing some modification, displays as yet no decided inclination to a conversion to bearishness. Tone of the market Easy.

Reception Held For Olympic Athletes

A reception to the Chinese athletes who are to take part in the Far Eastern Olympic Games at Osaka this month was held at the Chinese Y. W. C. A. 11a Quinsan Road, Thursday afternoon. The Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. were hosts. Mrs. John Y. Lee was in charge of the refreshments and Mr. C. H. Waung was chairman of the afternoon. The girls who are representing China in volley ball and tennis leave Shanghai this noon for Japan. The players will be accompanied by Miss Vera Barger, Miss Kan Ts and Dr Bessie Coffin, members of the Faculty of the Y. W. C. A. School of Hygiene and Physical Education.

The members and friends of the Chinese Y. W. C. A. enjoyed a musical tea at 11a Quinsan Road Friday afternoon. Vocal and instrumental music composed the program. The delegates representing Shanghai Y. W. C. A. at the Y. W. C. A. National Convention which is to be held in Hangchow in October were elected at this time.

FRENCH SCHOOL SPORTS

The annual French School sports meeting will be held at the French Park this afternoon. An extensive program of events has been arranged and an entertaining afternoon is promised the spectators.

CAILLAUX ATTACKED

(Reuter's Service)

Toulous, May 10.—Sixty men believed to be political opponents, armed with cudgels, today attacked the former French Premier, M. Caillaux, and a companion. They were both injured in the head and arm but not seriously.

MAIL FOR STATES CLOSING TONIGHT IS DUE IN MAY 29

European Liners Expected To Arrive Sunday And Monday

Mail for America will close at 9 o'clock tonight to be carried to Seattle by the Admiral Line steamer President Grant, while European mails are due here tomorrow and on Monday.

The Grant is due to arrive this morning from Manila and Hongkong and will dock at the Standard Oil Company's Pootung wharf. The tender with incoming passengers is expected to reach the Customs jetty at about 11 o'clock. The tender with outgoing passengers will leave the Customs jetty at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning and the liner is expected to arrive in Seattle May 29.

The French Mail liner Cordillere, with European mails of April 6, is due here tomorrow and the P. and O. liner Sardinia, which left London March 29, left Hongkong at 8 o'clock yesterday morning and should reach Shanghai Monday morning.

The President Lincoln of the Pacific Mail leaves this morning at 7 o'clock and is due to arrive in San Francisco via Japan ports and Honolulu, on May 31.

The Kashgar, taking mail for Southern Pacific, Indian and European ports, is to sail for London this morning, and the tender with outgoing passengers will leave the Customs jetty at 9.30 o'clock. Ordinary mail to be sent on this vessel should be posted before 7.30 a.m. today.

The steamer Delta, from London on April 13, is expected to leave Singapore next Monday and is due to arrive in Shanghai via Hongkong on May 23.

The British India liner Japan left Calcutta on Wednesday morning May 9 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Colombo, Singapore and Hongkong about June 3.

LUCKY!

First prize in the sweep on the Champions held by the Union Club of China was won by Mr. J. A. Thomas, who drew Shenkoland. Second prize was won by Mr. T. G. Penfold and third prize by Mr. T. Y. Dow.

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Chinese Ratepayers To Hold Election Here Next Month

One-third of the board of directors of the Chinese Ratepayers Association will retire next month, according to the constitution of the organisation. The directors who will retire this year include Messrs. Y. S. Ziar, H. Y. Moh, David Z. T. Yui, K. P. Chen, C. C. Nieh, Pan Chen-po, Hsu Tsing-jen, Chen Tse-ming and Chu Kung-chia. Most of these are expected to be re-elected.

SHIP BREAKING UP

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, May 11.—The Indo-China Steam Navigation Company's steamer Kum Sang, which is aground off Cape Bolinao, is believed to be in danger of breaking up on the rocky beach. A strong wind and high waves are breaking over the vessel. All the passengers have been landed. The destroyer 343 is standing by. It is stated that the crew can be taken off at any time.

LABOR TROUBLES

(Reuter's Service)

London, May 10.—There is a prospect of prolongation of the shipbuilding dispute. The boilermakers' ballot resulted in 4,475 votes for and 14,565 votes against acceptance of the National Overtime and Night-Shift agreement.

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Business and Official Notices

SHANGHAI RACE CLUB

SPRING RACE MEETING, 1923.
FOURTH DAY.
GRAND NATIONAL STEEPLECHASE DAY
TO-DAY

THE GRAND NATIONAL STEEPLECHASE—5th EVENT.

THE RACES WILL COMMENCE PROMPTLY AT 1.15 p.m.

Race Badges for today's Races giving admission to the unreserved part of the Enclosure, may be obtained at the Public Entrance Gate, No. 14 Mohawk Road.
Price .....$2 each.

TIFFINS, TEAS AND REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED AT THE COURSE AFTER 12.15 p.m.
For Members and Grand Stand Ticket Holders in the Grand Stand.
For the Public .....in the Public Refreshment Room.

RACE BADGES AND TICKETS MUST BE WORN VISIBLY.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary, Shanghai Race Club.
58750 M 12

Municipal Orchestra

Symphony Concert, Town Hall
Tomorrow at 5 p.m.
Borodine's Unfinished Symphony
Wagenaar's "Cyrano de Bergerac"
Wagner Fragments
Grieg Suite and Dances From "PRINCE IGOR"
Admission $1, $0.50 and $0.20
58765 M 12

NOTICE

A meeting of local typists will be held in the Remington Typewriter School premises (No. 3 Kiukiang Road, top flat) on Friday next, May 18, at 5.30 p.m., for the purpose of electing officials and conducting other business necessary for setting up a local typewriting record. All interested are earnestly requested to attend so that as representative a meeting as possible may be secured.
58756

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Members are notified that the Wayside Park south Bowling Green will be open for play on Tuesday, May 15.
OPENING MATCH
President's Team v. Vice-President's Team
will be played on
Saturday, May 19, at 3.45 p.m.
Players will be selected on the ground.
By order of the Committee.
58742 M 15

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2. p.m. to 4.30 p.m.
(Saturdays: Close at noon).
58755 M 18

ANNOUNCEMENT

SHANGHAI CRICKET CLUB
TENNIS
Members are reminded that the usual Monday Guest's day of the season will commence on Monday, 14th inst., and will continue weekly until further notice.
By order of the Tennis Committee.
58776 M 13

NOTICE

Is hereby given to the public that the undersigned Company, whose Chinese hong name is (鈞裕泰號) is not identical with and has no connection whatsoever with another local concern (if it exists) trading under the same hong name, and who has distributed business cards using the same address and telephone number, but giving a different line of business. The undersigned Company's business is exclusively Furs and Skins.

Chun Yue Tai
鈞裕泰號
58730 M 13

Chinese Government Railways
Shanghai Hangchow Ningpo Line

TENDER FOR TIMBERS

The Shanghai Hangchow Ningpo Railway Administration invites tenders for the supply of Timbers. Firms desirous of tendering may obtain specification forms on application in writing to the Chief Storekeeper, Shanghai North Station.
58743 M 26

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From Seattle

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

Examination of ship's damaged cargo ex the s.s. "PRESIDENT MADISON" will be held at the China Merchants' Lower Wharf on Monday, May 14th, at 9:30 a.m., when Messrs. Eisler, Reeves and Murphy, Marine Surveyors, will be in attendance.

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DR. R. A. THOMPSON.

A further announcement regarding the opening of new offices will be made shortly.

DR. R. A. THOMPSON.
58699 M 12

Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ltd.

Further Issue of Tls. 300,000 7 per cent Debentures at the price of Tls. 107.00 per cent.

The Directors will be prepared to receive applications on and after 1st December, 1922, for Tls. 300,000 debentures redeemable at par after 10 years on six months' notice) and on or before December 31st, 1952 (being part of an authorised issue of Tls. 4,000,000 bearing interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum payable half-yearly on June 30th and December 31st of each year at the price of Tls. 107.00 per Tls. 100.00 debenture.

Copies of the Prospectus with full particulars and forms of application may be obtained at the Company's Head Office. No. 69 Kiangse Road, Shanghai.

By Order of the Directors,
W. R. WALTER,
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Shanghai, November 29th, 1922.
T. F. 87

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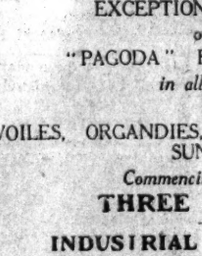

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58759 M.15

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NOTIFICATION No. 327

INVITATION OF TENDERS FOR PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENT ALONG THE WHOLE LINE

1.—The tender is open for the public from May 5th to June 5th 1923 after the latter date no tender will be accepted.
2.—It must be clearly stated in the tender, the amount in Tientsin currency to be paid to the Administration annually in advance by the Contractor. The envelope shall be closed and sealed with sealing wax bearing a stamp and marked "TENDER FOR PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENT ALONG THE WHOLE LINE."
3.—Tenders must be forwarded under Registered Post to the Tientsin-Pukow Railway Administration.
4.—A deposit of $200.00 for the tender must be sent through Traffic Section, Head Office to Accounts Department for safekeeping and in exchange for a receipt.
5.—Tenders not being registered nor accompanied with deposits shall be considered as invalid.
6.—Tenders will be opened before the public at 3 p.m. on 8th June 1923 at the Head Office. The one who offers the highest bid will obtain the contract subject to proper Agreement to be stipulated according to the Administration's Advertisement Regulations and Sub-Rules.
7.—The Administration shall reserve the right to reject the highest offer, when the offers lower than the minimum amount estimated by the Administration.
8.—After opening of tenders, deposit of each bidder will be returned on presentation of his receipt.
9.—For further information and details apply to the Traffic Section, Head Office, Tientsin.

(Sd.) SUN FUNG TSAO,
Managing Director.
Tientsin, 7th May, 1923.
58754 M 17

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" " " "	0002247	" "	$10,000.00
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Bankers:
London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie and Co.
Societe Generale pour favoriser le developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Paris: Societe Generale pour Favoriser le Developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
Lyons: Societe Generale pour Favoriser le Development du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Milan: Credito Italiano
Rome: Banco di Roma.
New York: Irving Bank—Columbia Trust Company.
San Francisco: The Crocker National Bank of San Francisco.

BRANCHES IN ASIA

Changchun	Harbin	Shanghai
Chefoo	Hongkong	Peking
Dairen	Manchouli	Tientsin
Kalgar	Kashgar	Yokohama
Hankow	Newchwang	Urumtchi

SHANGHAI BRANCH
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels and Dollars. Terms on application. Local Bills discounted.
Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.
SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES.
L. Jezierski.
P. Petithuguenin.
Ch. Bleuler.
Managers for Branches in Asia.

Bank of Communications

Specially authorised and made a National Bank by Presidential Mandates of April 7th, 1914 and October 31st, 1915)
Capital: Dollars 20,000,000.00.
President: Hon. Mr. Chang Chien.
Vice-President:
Mr. Chien Yung-ming.
HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement. Credit granted on approved securities. Special Facilities for Transfers to all parts of China
SHANGHAI BRANCH:
14 The Bund
CHEN CHU HSU, Manager.
T. D. Woo, Sub-Manager.
S. T. Huang, Sub-Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1.0 will be received.
Not more than $200 will be received during one month from any single Depositor.
Interest at the rate of 3½ % per annum will be allowed upon the monthly minimum balance.
The maximum balance on which interest will be allowed is $5,000.00.
Deposits may be withdrawn on Demand. Accounts will be kept either in Dollars or Taels, Local Currency, at the option of the Depositor.
Depositors will be presented with Pass Books, in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.
OFFICE HOURS. 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays, 10 a.m. to noon.

The Bank Of Canton, Ltd.

Incorporated 1912.

Capital Authorised ..£1,200,000-0-0
Capital Paid-up £1,066,520-0-0
Reserve Fund H. K. $800,000.00

HEAD OFFICE:
No. 6 Des Voeux Road Central, Hongkong.

OFFICES:
Shanghai, New York, Canton and Bangkok.

SHANGHAI OFFICE:
No. 1 and 2 Ningpo Road.

AGENCIES:

Honolulu	San Francisco	Kobe
London	Sourabaya	Batavia
Manila	Singapore	Canada
Yokohama	Samarang	etc.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.
We shall open our Savings Department beginning on February 21st, 1923. Favorable terms given. Savings deposits are cordially invited.

WONG WEN KUANG,
Manager.

The Exchange Bank of China

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
5 FOOCHOW ROAD.

Telephone: C. 1941.
C. 1946.
C. 5651.
Telegraphic Address: "Knabox"

Capital ..... Yen 10,000,000

Head office ..... Peking.
Registered in the Ministry of Finance.

General Banking Business of Every Description transacted.
Foreign and Domestic Exchange Business a specialty. We issue Demand Drafts, T.T. Letters of Credit, Buying and Selling Specie, etc. etc.
Foreign and Domestic Commercial Papers and Bills discounted.
Loans and Advances made on approved Securities.
Interest allowed on current accounts and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

Foreign Agencies at Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, Nagasaki, Moji, Singapore, Bombay, London, New York.
Domestic Agencies at Tientsin, Hankow, Kiukiang, Tsingtau, Dairen, Changchun, Mukden Soochow, Amoy, Swatow, Hongkong, Canton.

Y. KATADH, Manager.
M. F. CHANG, Sub-Manager.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Subscribed Capital	72,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund (1-6-20)	69,500,000.00

Head Office:
No. 96 Boulevard Hanoomann, Paris.

Branches and Agencies:

Saigon	Hanoi	Tourane
Haiphong	Hankow	Tientsin
Peking	Canton	Mengtze
Hongkong	Pondichery	Bangkok
Singapore	Shanghai	Noumea
Papeete	Djibouti	Yunnanfu
Pnom-Penh	Battambang	

London Bankers:
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.
Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris—Credit Lyonnais.

The Shanghai Agency undertakes all Banking and Exchange operations; grants credits on goods and approved securities; opens current and fixed deposit accounts in taels and francs according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN,
Manager.

International Banking Corporation

Capital Paid Up ..U.S. $5,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits ..... U.S. $10,458,137

Owned by the National City Bank of New York.

Head Office:
60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
London Office: 36 Bishopsgate, E.C.
Lyons Office: 27 Place Tolozan.

San Francisco Office:
232 *Montgomery Street.*

BRANCHES:

CHINA	PHILIPPINES
Shanghai	Manila
Peking	Cebu
Tientsin	
Hankow	SPAIN
Harbin	Barcelona
Hongkong	Madrid
Canton	
	STRAITS
INDIA	Singapore
Bombay	
Calcutta	DOMINICA
Rangoon	Santo Domingo
	Sanchez
JAPAN	San Francisco
Tokyo	San Pedro
Yokohama	Santiago
Kobe	Puerto Plata
	Barahona
	La Vega
JAVA	
Batavia	PANAMA
Soerabaya	Panama
	Colon

We are also able to offer our Customers the services of the Branches of the National City Bank of New York in the principal countries of South America, Central America and in the West Indies.
Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current Accounts and Savings Bank Accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

N. S. MARSHALL, Manager.
1A Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital	$60,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$18,914,400.00
Reserve Fund	$2,449,700.00
Special Reserve Fund	$3,534,600.00

Head Office: Peking.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Berlin, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Osaka and Yokohama.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
22 The Bund
Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager

The Chekiang Industrial Bank Ltd.

浙江實業銀行

Established 1908
(Member of the Shanghai Bankers' Association)

Capital	$2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$206,400.00
Undivided Profits	120,751.00

Head Office: 14 Hankow Road, Shanghai.
Branches: Hankow and Hangchow.
Domestic Agencies:
In the principal cities throughout China.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul, Fusan and Hongkong.
Banking Department, Foreign Department and Savings Department.

Li Ming, Manager.

Tel. C. 7130, Manager's Office,
C. 7121 to 7124, General Office.
Cable Address:
"CHINDUBANK," Shanghai.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappy

(Netherlands Trading Society)
Established 1824

Pa'd-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 19,445,211 (about £1,620,434)
Special Reserve: Guilders 22,660,000 (about £1,888,333).

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Pekalongen
Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheriben	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerakarta
Kobe	Soerabaya
Kota-Radja	Tegal
Makassar	Tjilatjap
Medan	Welteyreden
Padang	

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.
The Bank buys, sells and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.
Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Agent.

The Bank of East Asia Ltd.

東亞銀行

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 1C Kiukiang Road.

Authorised Capital	$10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital	$5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund H.K.	$500,000.00

HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon.
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.

R. CHENG,
Manager.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI.

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Subscribed Capital	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars.	4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire	16,000,000
Paid up Capital	Silver $1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire	4,000,000
Reserves	Silver $150,000

Head Office: Shanghai.
Branches:
Hankow, Peking, S'hai, Tientsin.
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano.
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise of Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompts de Paris Banque Italo Belge.
United States: Credito Italiano Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belge.
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de le Bale.
Len and Co.'s Bank.
Banca Unione de Credito.
Belgium—Credit General Liegeois
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U. S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies, Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
Telegraphic Address: Sinit
SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Road.
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
Managers' Office Central 3004.
C. MARMONT.
CHIN YU SHU.
General Managers.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1916)

Subscribed Capital	$2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund	$200,000.00

SHANGHAI BRANCH
27 Jinkee Road
Telegraphic Address "CHUNGFOO"
Telephone Numbers .... C. 1929 Manager's Office. C. 6468) C. 6469) General Office. C. 6470) C. 5620 T. T. Department.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES IN CHINA

TIENTSIN	Changsha	Hsuchow	Shasi
SHANGHAI	Chengteh	Ichang	Soochow
PEKING	Chengchow	Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu
HANKOW	Chinkiang	Nanking	Wusieh
Antung	Fengtien	Ningpo	Wuhu
Canton	Hangchow	Pengpu	Yangchow
Changchun	Hongkong	Shaoshing	

FOREIGN AGENCIES AND CORRESPONDENTS

Baltimore	Cincinnati	Montreal	San Francisco
Berlin	Cleveland	New York	Seattle
Boston	Detroit	Osaka	St. Louis
Buffalo	Kobe	Philadelphia	Tokio
Cebu	London	Pittsburgh	Washington
Chicago	Manila	Paris	Yokohama

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement. Savings Deposits taken. All kinds of Trust Business undertaken.
Safe Deposit Boxes.
Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. B. Sun, Manager,
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

MEMBER OF THE SHANGHAI BANKERS' ASSOCIATION
Head Offices: 9 Ningpo Road

Capital	$2,500,000.00
Reserve	$450,000.00

Every description of modern banking and exchange business transacted—Personal, National & International.
Branches and Agencies:
In principal cities throughout China
Foreign Correspondents:

London	Yokohama	San Francisco
Paris	Tokyo	Singapore
Hamburg	New York	Osaka
Amsterdam	Chicago	Manila
Berlin	Seattle	Kobe
Auckland	Zurich	Honolulu

Cable Address: "COMSAVBANK"

K. P. CHEN,
General Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Capital Fully Paid Up	$2,500,000.00
Reserved Fund	$830,000.00

Head Office: Shanghai:—Peking & Kiangse Roads.
Manager's Office Cen. 2650.
Telephones: General Office Cen. 2613, 2614 and 2615.
Foreign Exchange Dept. C. 7413.
Branches: Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden, Harbin.
Foreign Correspondents: London, New York, San Francisco, Paris, Berlin, Zurich, Hamburg, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, and Osaka.
Domestic Correspondents at all principal cities in China.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, and Yen.
Interest allowed on Deposit at call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.
Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.
Credit granted on approved securities.
SAVINGS ACCOUNTS 4% PER ANNUM
Every description of banking business transacted.
MODERN SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT.

EQUITABLE

Eastern Banking Corporation

Capital	U. S. $2,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits	U. S. $ 900,000

HEAD OFFICE:—No. 37 Wall Street, New York
Members American Bankers' Association
Correspondents:
The Equitable Trust Company of New York
NEW YORK LONDON PARIS
Mercantile Trust Co., San Francisco, Cal. The Northwestern National Bank, of Portland, Ore. Citizens' National Bank, Los Angeles, Cal.

大通銀行

Shanghai Branch: Central 7944, 7945, 7946 & 7947.
6 Kiukiang Road Central 1424—Manager
CURRENT AND FIXED DEPOSITS ACCEPTED
Interest rates on application
Telegraphic Transfers and Drafts bought and sold.

JAS J. ROGERS,
Manager.

行業實工

Head Office: Hongkong. Branch Office: Hankow.

THE INDUSTRIAL & COMMERCIAL BANK, LTD.

Shanghai Branch
51 Kiangse Road

Every description of banking transacted. Correspondents in China and abroad.
Telegraphic Address: "KONGSHAN."
Tel. Nos. C. 3204, 5816 and 6552.

CHU KINHOW, Manager.
Shanghai Branch

Launch Services

TODAY

The tender Gutzlaff conveying passengers and hand baggage on board the P. & O. s.s. Kashgar, for London will leave the Customs Jetty at 9:30 a.m.

TOMORROW

The tender conveying passengers and mail on board the Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant, for Kobe, Yokohama and Seattle will leave the Customs Jetty at 7 a.m.

Carlton Theater

With commendable enterpri... the Carlton Theater have come o... with some of the best pictures ... the Race Week a day after t... Champions. For clarity, intere... and perfect photography thes... would require some beating. Th... scenes depicted give a wonderf... sidelight on the keen intere... taken by the cosmopolitan popul... tion of this Settlement in t... "Sport of Kings." During th... period of the screening of the... pictures the Carlton Theate... should attract big houses. Th... pictures were taken by the B.A.
In addition to these the progra... now on the Screen includes ... Woman's Place," a photoplay ... which the inimitable Norma T... madge takes the leading role. ... is well worth seeing especially ... more and more interest is no... being taken by women in the go... ernment of the country.

Provision Prices In Local Market

Prices quoted are in Mexica... dollar cents at Hongkew Marke... compiled on May 8, 1923.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	16-30
Mutton	„	18-30
Pork	„	30-40
Veal	„	24-35
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	20-25
Cod	„	15-20
Mandarin	„	30-40
Mackerel	„	20-25
Pomfret	„	18-20
Salmon	„	20-25
Samli	„	40-50
Soles	„	16-20
Whitebait	„	15-20
Game Poultry and Eggs		
Deer	each	non...
Eggs	per doz.	20-25
Fowl	each	30-35
Geese	„	$1.20-$1.4...
Hare	„	none
Partridge	„	none
Pheasant	„	none
Pigeons	„	20-25
Plover	„	8-10
Quail	„	20-22
Snipe	„	14-18
Teal	„	16-20
Turkey	per lb.	45-50
Woodcock	each	45-50
Wild Duck	„	40-45
Wild Duck	„	none
Duck	„	80-$1.0...
Wild Pigeon	„	none
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	„	25-30
Banana	„	12-14
Chestnuts	„	18-20
Melons	each	none
Cherries	„	20-25
Cocoanuts	each	18-20
Figs	per lb.	none
Grape fruit	each	20-25
Lemons	„	8-20
Lichees	per lb.	none
Mangoes	each	15-25
Mangosteens	per doz.	none
Oranges	per lb.	20-25
Peaches	„	none
Persimmons	„	none
Peeboes	„	none
Plums	„	8-10
Pumeloes	each	25-30
Pineapples	„	none
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	„	14-16
Vegetables		
Artichokes	per lb.	3-4
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	10-12
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
Broad Beans	„	4-5
Cabbage	each	5-10
Celery	per bunch	8-10
Carrots	per bunch	8-10
Cauliflower	each	20-30
Egg plant	„	10-12
French Beans	„	14-16
Peas	„	6-8
Green Corn	each	none
Leeks	per bunch	4-6
Mushrooms	per lb.	60-80
Onions	„	5-8
Potatoes	„	$4.50-$5.00
Parsnips	per bunch	3-4
Radishes	„	1-2
Spinach	per lb.	3-4
Tomatoes	„	10-12
Turnips	per bunch	2-3
Grain And Flour		
Flour American	per 50 lbs.	$4.50
Flour Shanghai	per 50 lbs.	$3.90
Bran	per 114 lbs.	$3.50
Barley	„	$4.80
Rice	per 200 lbs.	$12.60
Milk		
Chinese dairies	per bottle	$0.20
Foreign dairies	„	$0.25
Fuel		
Fire wood	per 40 bundles	$1.00
Steve Coal	per ton	Tls. 19.50
House Coal	„	17.25

W. Kilner
Chief Inspector.

-:- Financial And Commercial News -:-

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Close

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	$1,140
Chartered	£17/- S.
Russo-Asiatic	Nom
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H. 625 B.
North China	Tls. 138
Union of Canton	H.$237 S.
Yangtsze	$26¼ B.
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 20¼
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H. 137
Hongkong Fire	H. 465 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H. 260
Indo-China Pref.	H. 40 B.
"Shell"	87s. 6d. B.
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 86
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 53 B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 17½ B.
Oriental Cons.	18/-
Raub	$6 B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	Tls. 169 S.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 109
New Eng. Works	Tls. 9 S.
" Pref.	Tls. 5.05 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 212½
Hongkong Wharf	H.$178 S.
Lands and Hotels	
S'hai Hotel, Ltd.	Tls. 42½ B.
China Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
A.-French Land	Tls. 121½ B.
Shanghai Land	Tls. 121 B.
Carlton Ltd.	Tls. 53 S.
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 143¾ B.
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 109 B.
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 9 B.
Oriental	Tls. 6 XNI B.
Shanghai Cotton	Tls. 105 S.
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	Tls. 240 B.
Green Island	Tls. 29 S.
Langkats	Tls. 30½ B.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
Yhai Sumatra	Tls. 90 B
Stores	
Hall and Holts	Tls. 6¾ B.
Llewelyn	$42¾
Lane Crawford	Tls. 112½ B.
Moutrie	$40 B.
Watson	Tls. 18¼ B.
Weeks	Tls. 18¼ S.
Rubbers (local)	
Alma	Tls. 6.10 B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.20 B.
Anglo-Java	Tls. 5¾ B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 2¾ B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 21 B.
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 0.90 B.
Bute	Tls. 0.75
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 2.85 B.
Chemor United	Tls. 0.95 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 5 B.
Sheng	Tls. 1.75
Consolidated	Tls. 2.60 B.
Dominion	Tls. 2.60 B.
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 9½ B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 13¼ B.
Kapayang	Tls. 9 B.
Karan	Tls. 7¾
Kedah	Tls. 1.15 B.
Koth Bahroe	Tls. 1.12½ B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 13¼ B.
Padang	Tls. 4¼ B.
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 2½ B.
Permata	Tls. 0.95 B.
Repah	Tls. 2½ B
Samagagas	Tls. 0.85 B.
Seekees	Tls. 0.75 B.
Semambu	Tls. 1.05 B.
Senawang	Tls. 1.30 B.
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 1.10 B.
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 0.80
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 2½ B.
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 9½ B.
Sungala	Tls. 0.90 B.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 1
Sua Manggis	Tls. 8½ B.
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 2 B.
Taiping	Tls. 0.60 B.
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.60 B.
Tebong	Tls. 0.75 B.
Ziangbes	Tls. 1.85 B.
	Tls. 3¼ B.
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & B. Lumber	Tls. 325
Cuity Dairy	Tls. 14
Shanghai Trams	Tls. 152½
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 37 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 75½
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 175 B.

S. Sellers, Sa. Sales, B. Buyers

Money Exchange

Shanghai, May 11, 1923

Mexican Dollars
- Market 72.5
- Native 09

Shanghai Gold Bars 978
- Touch 321
- Copper Cash 250.000
- Bar Silver 32⅝
- Bank rate of Discount 8%
- Paris on London ..... Holiday
- New York on London .. 460½

Banks Opening Selling Rates

London—
- Tel. Transfer ..... 3s. 2¼d.
- Demand ..... 3s. 2⅜d.

New York—
- Tel. Transfer 73½
- Demand 73¾

OPENING RATES

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Opening quotations 9:30 a.m.

BANKS SELLING RATES

London (T.T.)	3/2¼
London (Demand)	3/2⅜
London 4 m-s	3/2½
India (T.T.)	237
France (T.T.)	1115
America (T.T.)	73½
Hongkong (T.T.)	74
Japan (T.T.)	67
Batavia (T.T.)	192
Straits (T.T.)	73¾

BANK'S BUYING RATE

London 4 m-s Credits	3/4¼
London 4 m-s Docts	3/4½
London 6 m-s Credits	3/4¾
London 6 m-s Docts	
France 4 m-s	1165
America 4 m-s L/c	78
Docs	78½

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates
- @ 74⅞ = Tls. 133.56
- @ exch. 72.7 = Mex. $183.71

Sovereign Bank Buying Rate
- @ 3s. 3d. = Tls. 6.15
- @ exch. 72.7 = Mex. $8.46

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR MAY

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Our official quotation for T/T on London has remained unchanged at 3-2⅛ throughout the week. The volume of exchange business passing has been small and we close with an easy tendency. For T/T on London 3-2 13-16 for May falling to 3-2½ July/Dec. is the open market quotation.

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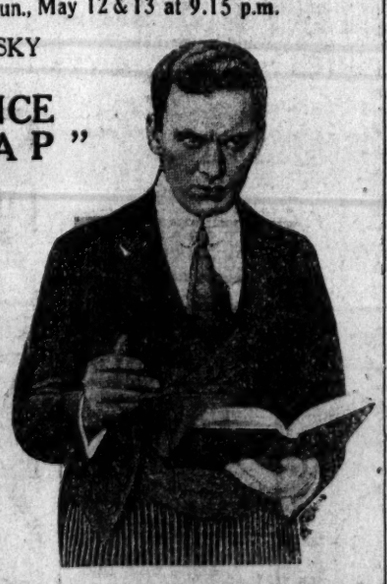

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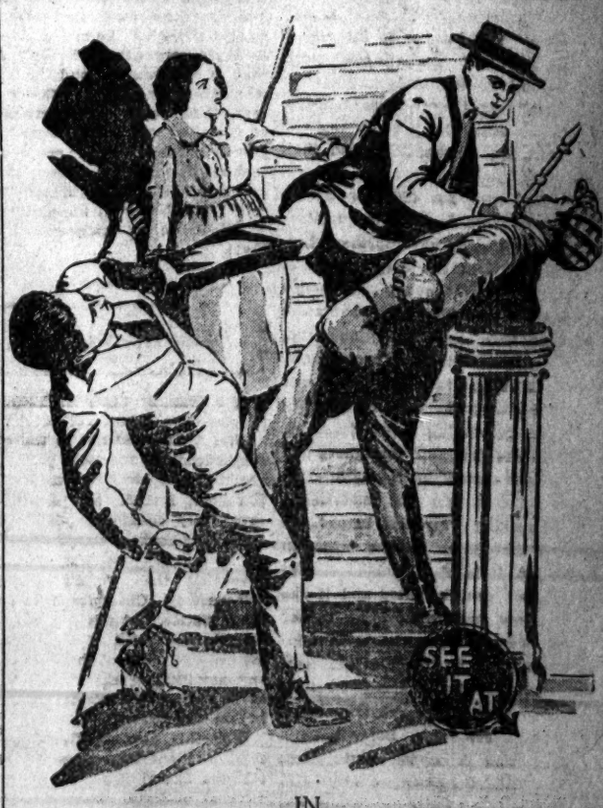

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WEATHER

Cloudy and warm but rather fine weather; thunderstorms in the valley. Unsteady breezes with local calms and mist over our coasts. A depression will cross northern China eastward.

The Calmer Judgment

IN view of the somewhat overwrought and hysterical demands and suggestions emanating from various quarters as a result of the bandit outrage, it is to be hoped that the community will be somewhat calmed down by the well-reasoned and deliberate statement of the American Minister in yesterday morning's China Press.

But before going into that, it may be well to call attention to the fact that the bandits, considering that they are bandits and also holding in view the attendant circumstances of their flight with their captives, have not acted so very badly. They have released the women and children and the accounts from these of their experiences while captive, and also the messages smuggled out by those still remaining captive, reveal as good treatment as was, and is, possible. The bandits so far appear to be rather humane as bandits go and we can only express the hope that they will continue so to be until the present negotiations are consummated and their quarry released.

And now for Minister Schurman's views. In reply to questions put to him by our representative, he said that the employment of American troops in connection with the Lincheng affair had at no time been considered; that the officials of Shantung were doing their utmost to effect the release of the captives; that negotiations were proceeding along favorable lines and that both foreigners and Chinese considered the application of force at this time inadvisable.

Speaking for the future, he said that China being a sovereign nation, it is up to her to eliminate her own banditry and if she does not succeed in doing it, her own people, as in the present instance, will be the chief sufferers.

In reply to the direct question as to foreign intervention based on this occurence, Dr. Schurman said that if, as he anticipated, the Chinese authorities were successful in bringing about the liberation of the captives, he could not see what there would be left for foreign nations to do. Dr. Schurman said further that like causes produce like effects, and as most of the bandits in China are ex-soldiers, further incidents of this nature are to be expected. They would be dealt with as the circumstances warranted.

The last remark is not optimistic but the interview as a whole is. It is evident that the doctor entertains the hope that China will be able to work out her problem. If she can't do it, what nations in the world, having consideration for their own domestic troubles and difficulties, can do it for her?

A Philosophy Of Clothes

In the best book he ever wrote, "Houseboat Days in China," Mr. J. O. P. Bland devotes a chapter to 'The Hypnotic Influence of the P'utzu." the p'utzu being, we may explain for the sake of the uninitiated, the so-called "mandarin squares" that are bought up so eagerly by tourists to put on their cushions, says the Far Eastern Times. In this very daring and brilliant chapter, which Mr. Bland modestly attributes to a Soochow missionary, the thesis is put forward that China's success in diplomacy, which is described as being unbroken from the Treaty of Nanking to the Protocol of 1901, had been largely due to the fascination, amounting to hypnotism, exercised over the mind of the foreign diplomat, great or small, by the peacocks and cranes and other beasts so elaborately embroidered on the breasts and backs of the old-time mandarin's gown; and Mr. Bland goes so far as to assert that were a Chinese mandarin to work in his shirt-sleeves he would accomplish nothing. The glamour would have gone, the glory would have departed. The thesis is very ingeniously worked out; but we never imagined that anybody would take it seriously. It is taken seriously, however. A southern contemporary devotes a leading article to the subject. "Beginning with what is apparently of small importance," says our contemporary, "there is much to be said for the opinion of a correspondent that one of the minor causes (of present conditions in China) is the abandonment by Chinese magistrate and other civilian officials of imposing official costume .. Certainly in the old days a Chinese magistrate in full official costume, in his grand hat with its peacock feather and larger jewel or button indicating his rank, wearing long capacious robes of silk and satin richly embroidered, and surrounded by a retinue of underlings and attendants, was a dignified, and to the common people, an awe-inspiring figure. Now his outward glory has departed, and with it his power." Mr. Bland suggested that the way to beat China at diplomacy would be to spend half a million or so clothing every Chinese official who had anything to do with foreign affairs in frock coats and silk hats, and patent leather shoes and spats. If our contemporary wants to see Chinese official authority restored, it should open a subscription list with the object of reclothing Chinese officialdom in what our contemporary evidently thinks its right mind. We are not forgetful, however, of the fact that when the Chinese official did wear the gorgeous attire and was surrounded by his many attendants our contemporary was one of the readiest to sneer at "tinsel and tatterdemalions." Incidentally our contemporary ascribes the present mighty power of the military men to their gorgeous uniforms. All that is necessary to end the present troubles among the military, then, is surely to buy one of them an outfit that would so greatly outshine that of any other tuchun that all the rest, like Joseph's sheaves, would bow before him. If only all the problems of life were as easily solved as that!

Correspondence

A TYPISTS' COMPETITION

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS.

Sir: With reference to the correspondence in the local press regarding a typewriting contest in Shanghai, I shall be pleased to give every assistance possible in organising such a competition.

I have in my possession the rules governing the World's Amateur Typewriting Championship and other matter, but might I suggest that in the event of the scheme maturing, the use of these rules or any modification should be decided by a committee elected by local typists themselves?

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The Collapse At Tsingtao

A Hopeless Outlook

The following appearing in the Far Eastern Times, on the state of the Police at Tsingtao are sufficiently startling in themselves; but, they have an added significance in view of the suggestion, at the close of the article, that other departments of the administration are about as inefficient.

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In April 1922, when the preparations were afoot for the re-establishment of a Chinese Administration at Tsingtao, Dr. C. T. Wang, then in charge of the re-organisation of the Tsingtao Administration, appointed a foreign expert as Inspector of the Railway Police and Chief Military Instructor for the Police Training School at Fangtze. Two Companies of the Peking "Pao An Tui" were also sent to serve as guards along the Railway. The general conduct and behavior of these men has been excellent, and they performed their duties admirably under very difficult circumstances. This was, no doubt, partly because the advice of the foreign Inspector and Chief Military Instructor, as to their duties control and management, was, in those early days, always taken and if possible followed.

Before long, however, difficulties presented themselves. The Military Instructor's plans of training were ignored, and he was allowed no direct authority, even to correct the most flagrant errors; and his remonstrances to the Chief of the Training School and even to Dr. C. T. Wang himself, were without effect. When 600 of the locally recruited police were "graduated" from the school in November 1922, the Chief Military Instructor had to report to Dr. Wang that only 200 were, in the Instructor's opinion, qualified for serious work. It was noted as a curious fact that the great majority of these 200 comparatively well trained men were Manchus, descendants of the Manchu garrison troops at Chingchowfu.

When the actual transfer of the Administration of Tsingtao was effected, the following forces were sent down to police Tsingtao:

(1) The above-mentioned 600 men from the Fangtze School;
(2) 1,000 soldiers from Tsinan-fu, uniformed as police, but as unprepared for police duties as one would expect the average Chinese soldier to be;
(3) 200 men locally recruited at the last moment, with no training whatever;
(4) 400 so-called Water Police, trained for a few months in Chefoo.

Of these 2,000 men not more than 200 were really fit for their duties. The 600 men from Fangtze had 300 rifles amongst them, and most of these were useless. At a shooting practice held a few days before the transfer of the Administration, it was found that in most of the rifles the empty cartridge cases jammed in the barrel after each shot, and the rifles consequently could not be reloaded until after several minutes hard work. The authorities realised the futility and danger of sending down such a badly equipped force to Tsingtao, and they applied to the Japanese Government for the purchase of new rifles, but these new rifles were not supplied until after December 10, the force that came down on December 1 to take over the policing of Tsingtao being consequently practically unarmed, and only a small part of it trained. This needs to be kept in mind, for it appears quite clear that if the Chinese authorities had taken the trouble to train and equip the police force properly, which certainly could have been done, the subsequent disgraceful episodes would never have occurred.

These episodes are notorious: how the bandits simply over-ran Tsingtao and, how the Chinese officials, during the first few days, displayed nothing but cowardice and inefficiency. Exactly what negotiations took place between the Chinese authorities, the Tsingtao Chinese Chamber of Commerce, and the bandits is not known; nor is it known exactly what part the Japanese, officially or unofficially, played; but it is common knowledge that the transfer had to be postponed from December 1 to 10, and that the bandits had to be bribed to keep quiet by being enrolled in the army. For a month or so the ex-bandits kept quiet, but one day some of them had a serious row with some Chinese and Japanese in an auction room, when several people were wounded, a Japanese policeman being amongst the number. The Japanese community became excited, and the Governor had to banish the ex-bandits to Fangtze. There they have made a lot of trouble, and it is evident they constitute a menace to the safety of the Railway. It is not to be expected that the 20 or 30 Railway Police at Fangtze station can effectually protect the Railway again 1,000 ruffians.

It was taken for granted that, after the first excitement of the transfer had died down, the Chinese authorities would set to work and do their very best to regain their lost reputation. The Governor, General Hsiung Ping-chi, appointed an Inspector of Police, the same foreigner who had tried to train the police for their duties and had been so thwarted; but the Inspector received no instructions whatever regarding his work, and it was only after a month's pestering that he received "permission" to report to the Chief of Police what he considered to be the deficiencies of the force, which lay in the performance of its duties or in its general behavior. But even this was a useless concession, for the Inspector's reports were neglected, no notice was taken either of his advice or of his criticism; and the result is the present deplorable condition of the Tsingtao police force: (1) the uniforms of the force are in rags; (2) the new rifles are rapidly becoming as unserviceable as the old ones; (3) the police fail hopelessly in the regulation of the traffic; (4) there is no discipline, the members of the force smoking cigarettes whilst on duty and passing the time by chatting with any chance acquaintance who happens to pass by; (5) there are constant complaints of rudeness and incivility, both to Chinese and to foreigners, especially the latter; (6) the whole machinery of the Police Administration is patently slow and inefficient.

The faulty administration of the police is a matter that forces itself upon everybody; but there is reason to believe, and indeed abundant evidence, that other departments are in no better case. Some time after assuming office the new Governor "re-organised" the administration. The main result of this re-organisation was that most of the well educated, capable and efficient men, whose appointment has been the work of Dr. C. T. Wang, were removed and succeeded by out-and-out incompetents, the friends of General Hsiung Ping-chi. The results are obvious everywhere. The traffic on the railway is disorganised, the trains being invariably late; sanitary conditions are beginning to be a menace to health; and the control of the commercial and economic utilities is so weak that trade is beginning to be hampered. Unless there is a general clean-up at a very early date things will pass from being merely a scandal to being a crime and blunder of the first magnitude.

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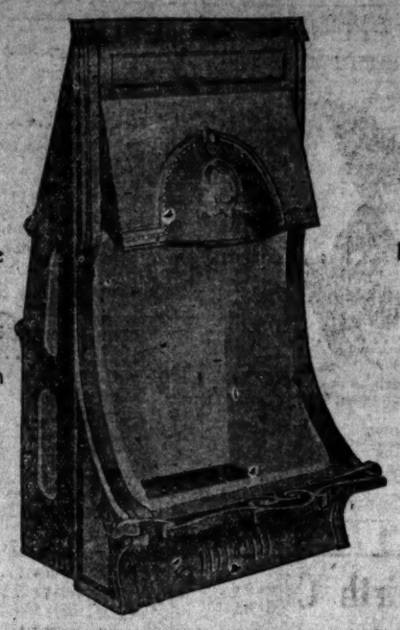

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(Cambridge University Lecturer in the Philosophy of Religion; late Professor of Philosophy and Comparative Religion, Baroda; author of "Jesus in the Nineteenth Century and After," "Immortality, and Other Essays.")

Race progress and individual happiness depend in no small measure on recognition of the significance of the appearance of new human beings. In differing degrees religions have endeavored to keep before men's minds the mystery of human birth. To the religious, whether religious minister or layman, it is important to come to some decision as to the attitude to be adopted towards the teaching and practice of contraception. For it is evident that this subject has now been given the prominence of public consideration from their part in which religious thinkers cannot worthily escape.

The grounds of opposition from the side of religion, as usually conceived, are such as deserve serious consideration. It is urged that a tendency to excess in births ought to be met by inner control, by the efforts of the moral will, supported by the sanctions and grace of religion. But the knowledge of methods of contraception does not lessen the necessity nor minimise the opportunity for such control. In fact, it makes the control more genuinely moral. For, without such knowledge, abstinence is often through fear of the possible bad consequences; with it, abstinence must be from the motive of obtaining the positively good advantages which thereby accrue.

FAMILY LIFE

Religions have sometimes admitted forms of prostitution in their practices, but far more often they have championed a strong respect for a healthy family life. Thus it is contended that the family will be harmed in that the knowledg and use of contraceptives will tend to increase illicit intercourse. But here again the chief weapon against misconduct must be moral and religious training, and the next the opportunity for entering on a married life without the deterring fear of a too rapidly increasing family.

Religions have often represented birth as due to divine will. This has been a teaching of Christians especially. So there are those who maintain that whether there is to be conception or not should be left to God. Contraceptives are regarded as an interference with divine laws. God has allowed the developing intelligence of man to attain the knowledge of contraceptives. It is reasonable to assume that that knowledge is capable of a good use. It can undoubtedly be abused; herein lies the scope for continued moral discrimination and control. But contraceptives are not always successful: as a Parsi medical doctor put it: "There is one door of which God keeps the key." Many have learned through their failures that God "knew better than they." But that does not imply that use of the knowledge should be abandoned.

CHRISTIANITY & CHILDREN

In all ages and climes mankind has had and has a love of children. Christianity in the fervor and warmth of its Christmas festival has woven around infancy a sacred charm. One genuinely central motive in the advocacy and much of the actual use of contraceptives is the love of the children already born, or in due time to be born. This motive is at the root of the desire to ensure not only the physical requirements for good health, including as the earliest the health and strength of the mother, but also the loving attention of the parents and all that a good education implies. The love of the children—a truly religious motive—is a very definite ground in many instances for the limitation of the family.

It is not surprising if celibate priests urge that even the discussion of these things in a manner in which enjoyment and happiness ds recognised as coming from the satisfaction of sexual desires, is to arouse passions and to strengthen men's instinct towards sensuous pleasures, thus leading them more and more from the spiritual. The danger is real. It is, however, no more real from sound instruction on sex matters, and it is far less pernicious than from indecent gossip or literature. The need for the minister of religion to encourage purity or encourage purity of thought, word, and deed, and to promote all that is spiritual is neither lessened nor increased by the spread of modern knowledge.

HUMAN PROGRESS

For many religion includes faith in human progress, socially and culturally no less than individually and spiritually. To strive against any condition which tends to hinder progress has therefore a religious significance. The disproportionate increase of the ill-nourished, diseased, and defective, whether physically or mentally, must hinder progress. In such spheres no great result can be expected from simple moral control: it may be doubted whether with the knowledge of contraceptives it would be much, unless this is given in a very practical way and on a wide scale. To assist in the task may reasonably be regarded as conforming with a religious belief in progress. But there does not appear to be anything religious in the Dean of St. Paul's advocacy that the lower classes should be urged to practise contraception. Rather his motive seems to be a fear that the proletariat will otherwize overwhelm the upper classes and crush out the somewhat pagan type of aristocratic culture for which he stands.

PREVENTING SUFFERING

The relief of suffering has been a feature of most of the higher religions. Some few Christians still regard means to alleviate the sufferings of women in child-birth as an interference with the working of a primitive curse, but the majority undoubtedly welcome and approve means to diminish unnecessary and useless suffering. Through contraception women in disease and weak health, who might otherwise bear infants doomed to disease, and early death, can be spared untold suffering. To assist in such redemption is surely a religious act.

There is one last objection. It is contended that the effects on the users of methods of prevention are worse than any from which they enable mankind to escape. If that is so, we have a religious duty to fight them to the utmost. But if the gains are greater, we are equally under religious obligation to promote their rational use. On the question of the physical effects medical opinion seems divided. It is not for us to dogmatise: but a general survey of the subject, including its religious aspects, has led the writer to the conviction that constructive birth control gives a new ray of hope for humanity.

Have Peace Of Mind Rather Than Ill-Gotten Wealth

BY J. J. MUNDY

Is it not true that, seeing the comforts and ways of enjoyment permitted to some who have come by their money dishonestly, you are tempted to accept the first opportunity you have for material gain and almost conclude not to be over scrupulous about it?

But would you give up a life-long peace of mind for anything money buys?

Would you be willing to have the thought that the comforts you enjoy are the results of unfair methods in dealing with your fellow men?

Could you truly enjoy yourself knowing that you are getting his so-called pleasure at the expense of others—taking what does not belong to you?

Rid yourself of the thought that money gained dishonestly is worth the mental suffering entailed; also get rid of the thought that all who have money have gained it dishonestly.

Decide that you will have peace of mind rather than riches if you must gouge another in order to gain money and position.

Variation Of The Magnetic Pole

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

"To what is variation of the magnetic pole due? According to Professor McMillan the magnetic pole consists of a small area located on terra firma, which being a magnetic deposit I cannot clearly understand why it could have an annual variation.—J. S. W., West Lynn, Mass."

Strictly speaking, variation of the magnetic meridian, i.e. of the direction in which the magnetic needle points with reference to the geographical meridian, or the north-and-south line running through the place where the observer is stationed. It does not necessarily mean a change of place of the magnetic pole itself, although some slow change of that kind may occur.

The unfortunate term "declination" is applied to the departure in direction of the magnetic meridian, east or west from the geographical meridian, whereas in astronomical geography the same term means departure north or south of the equator, the sun for instance having a northern "declination" of so or so many degrees with it is north of the equator.

The word "pole" is also somewhat confusing, as used in terrestrial magnetism. The earth is said to have two magnetic poles, one in the northern and the other in the southern hemisphere. But, not only are these magnetic poles different in their nature and their position from the geographical poles of the axis around which the earth rotates, but they are also quite different from the poles of an artificial magnet, such as magnetic needle, or a bar magnet.

The earth has correctly enough been described as a great magnet. But it is a spherical magnet, and its true poles of magnetism, instead of being situated at the opposite ends of an axis, running through the center, may better be described as lying close together in the center of the earth, though they do, each on its own side of the center, produce phenomena which lead to the selection of certain points as representing the poles of the earth's magnetism.

In other words, as Kraft and Biot have shown, "the equivalent magnetic poles of spherical magnet," (equivalent that is with reference to the poles of a bar magnet), are practically at the same distance from all points on the earth's surface, and this accounts for the very slight increase in the weight of iron which might be expected if it were carried from the magnet equator to the magnetic poles."

It is not correct to speak of an area as constituting the magnetic pole, or of its being a "magnetic deposit." There are scattered over the earth many local magnetic poles, caused probably by magnetic deposits, but the two principal poles are an expression of the magnetic activity of the earth as a whole. It is due to local influences that the magnetic meridians are anything but straight lines like the geographic ones, but these meridians have, as a whole, a tendency to long period variation, which may be connected with some shifting of the position of the magnetic poles, owing to causes that have not been discovered.

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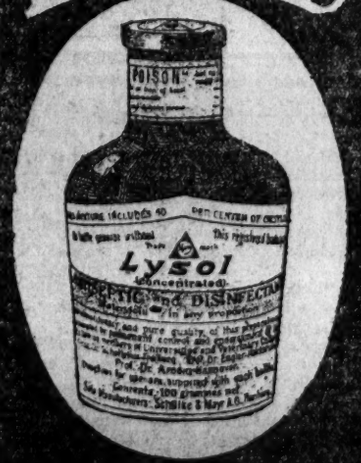

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The C.N. s.s. Szechuen left Hongkong on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchi left Foochow yesterday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Sunning left Hongkong on Thursday and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Sinkiang will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai on Wednesday.

The C.N. s.s. Liangchow will leave Hongkong tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

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The D.K.K. s.s. Saikio Maru left Tsingtao on Thursday and is due in Shanghai this morning. The steamer will dock at the Whangpoo Wharf and is to sail for Tsingtao and Dairen at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The K.M.A. s.s. Kiangping (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

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The C.M. s.s. Hsinming left Chefoo on Thursday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Kaho left Newchwang for Swatow on Thursday.

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The N.Y.K. s.s. Omi Maru is due in Shanghai from Osaka, Kobe and Moji tomorrow and will dock at the N.Y.K. Mail Wharf.

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INDIAN LINES

The P. and O. s.s. Soudan left Bombay for Shanghai via ports at 9 o'clock Thursday morning, May 8.

The B.I. s.s. Japan left Calcutta on Wednesday morning, May 9 and is due to arrive in Shanghai about June 3.

The B.I. s.s. Gurna, from Calcutta on April 15, left Hongkong on Wednesday morning and is due to arrive in Shanghai via Amoy today.

EUROPEAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Devanha left London on April 27 at 2 p.m. and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via ports on June 6.

The P. & O. s.s. Malwa was due to leave London yesterday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via ports on June 20.

The Norwegian, Africa and Australia Line s.s. Tana, from Christiania and ports, left Antwerp on April 28 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about June 15.

The P. & O. s.s. Kashgar will leave Shanghai for London via ports this morning, and the tender with outgoing passengers is to leave the Customs jetty at 9:30 o'clock.

The N.D.L. s.s. Schlesien, from Hamburg, left Port Said on May 3 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on June 6.

The Glen Line m.v. Glentara is due to arrive in Shanghai from London on June 7.

The P. & O. s.s. Delta, from London on April 13 with mail, is expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai next Monday.

The M.M. s.s. Andre Lebon left Shanghai yesterday and is due to arrive in Marseilles on June 14.

The M.M. s.s. Amboise will leave Shanghai for Marseilles on Friday, May 25, at 5 p.m. and passengers may embark at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf after 3 o'clock.

The P. & O. s.s. Sardinia, from London on March 29 with mail, left Hongkong at 8 o'clock yesterday morning and is due to arrive in Shanghai on Monday morning.

AMERICAN LINES

The Dollar s.s. Virginia Dollar was due to leave New York for the Orient on April 21.

The Dollar s.s. Robert Dollar is due to leave New York for the Orient tomorrow.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Hannawa is due in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon on May 23 and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on May 27.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jackson is due to leave Seattle next Monday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on May 31.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President McKinley which sailed from Seattle on May 2, is due to arrive at Yokohama next Monday and is expected in Shanghai on May 19.

The P.M. s.s. President Cleveland which sailed from San Francisco on May 3, was due to leave Honolulu on Wednesday and is expected in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on May 23.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Canada which sailed from Vancouver on May 3, is due at Yokohama next Monday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on May 18.

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The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant is due in Shanghai from Hongkong this morning and will dock at the Standard Oil Wharf, Pootung. The tender with incoming passengers is expected at the Customs jetty about 11:20 a.m. The vessel is to sail for Seattle tomorrow morning, and the tender with outgoing passengers will leave the jetty at 7 o'clock. It is scheduled that the Grant should arrive in Seattle via Kobe and Yokohama on May 29.

The P.M. s.s. President Taft which arrived in Shanghai Wednesday evenin, sailed for Hongkong and Manila yesterday morning.

The P.M. s.s. President Pierce is due to leave San Francisco next Thursday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe on June 6.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Russia is due to leave Vancouver next Thursday and arriving in Shanghai via Japan ports on June 1.

The P.M. s.s. President Lincoln which docked at the China Merchants' Central Wharf yesterday, will sail for San Francisco at 7 o'clock this morning and is due to arrive there via Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu on May 31.

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May 11—Kiangwah for Hankow
May 11—Ngankin for Hankow
May 11—Tafoo M. for Hankow
May 11-Pres. Taft for H., Manila
May 11—Nagasaki M. for Japan
May 11—Gandara for Japan
My 11—Rokkosan M. for Wuhu
May 11—Rokko M. for Japan
May 11—Nippon for Japan
May 11—Wosang for Antung
May 11—Shinyue for Bangkok
May 11— Taito M. for Amoy, etc.
May 11—Chinkiang for N'chwang
May 11—Hwahting for C'tao
May 11—Kwongsang for S.H.C.
May 11—Andre Lebon for Mars.
May 11—West Niger for Portland via Dairen
May 11—Ceylon for Cebu
May 11—Kuangchi for N. C'toms
May 11—Tachung for Nanking
May 11—Hwahchie for C'tao
May 11—H. Peking for Ningpo
May 11—H. N'shao for Ningpo

Steamers Arrived

May 10—Haean from Wenchow
May 10—Hwahta from N. C'toms
May 10—Mylie from Vladivostok
May 11—H. N'shao from Ningpo
May 11—H. Peking from Ningpo
May 11—Eurylochus from Japan
May 11—Tungchow from Tientsin
May 11—Taksang from H'kong
May 11—Tsuruga M. from Japan
May 11—Glenariffe from V'tok
May 11—Iyo Maru from Seattle
May 11—President Lincoln from Hongkong
May 11—Susana II from .....
May 11—Taga M. from Japan
May 11—Shinping from Tientsin
May 11-Takaoka M. from H'kong
May 11—Whangpu from Hankow
May 11—Yushun from Chinkiang
May 11—Wanli from Dairen
May 11—11Tamon M. from Jap.
May 11—Meian from Hankow

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Levant Arrow .....May 6
Eldridge 6.....May 8

FOR VANCOUVER
Empress of Russia ..Apr. 21
Canadian Highlander .May 1
Empress of Australia ..May 7

FOR SEATTLE
Arabia Maru .....Apr. 13
Horaisan Maru .....Apr. 17
President Jackson ....Apr. 19
Arizona Maru .....Apr. 23
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Hanley .....Apr. 27
Edmore .....Apr. 28
President Jefferson ..May 1
Manila Maru .....May 4

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.
West Jessup .....Apr. 14
West O'Rowa .....Apr. 28
West Nomentum ....May 4
Pawlet .....May 9
West Niger .....May 11

FOR NEW YORK
Archer .....Apr. 11
Samaria .....Apr. 11
Karonga .....Apr. 23
Taketoyo Maru .....Apr. 24
Diana Dollar .....Apr. 2
Atreus .....May 3
Coaxet .....May 3
Havre Maru .....May 7
Dacre Castle .....May 9
Esthen Allen .....May 10

FOR UNITED KINGDOM
Lycaon .....Apr. 14
Nankin .....Apr. 14
Doricstar .....Apr. 15
Demodocus .....Apr. 19
Agapenor .....Apr. 19
Mishima Maru .....Apr. 21
Karmala .....Apr. 28
Mentor ..... May 2
Teucer .....May 4
Toyohashi Maru .....May 6
Hakozaki Maru .....May 6
City of Florence ....May 7
Perseus .....May 10

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Havenstein .....May 1
Werra .....May 7
Amazon Maru .....May 9
Andre Lebon .....May 11

FOR COPENHAGEN
Chile .....Apr. 21

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Armand Behic .....Apr. 14
Paul Lecat .....Apr. 27

FOR TRIESTE
Venezia .....Apr. 26

FOR INDIA
Sicilia .....May 1

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Chungking, *Hankow* .....May 13
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Eastern Prince, *New York* .May 12
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E. of Canada, *Vancouver* ..May 18
Feicking, *Wenchow* .....May 14
Esang, *Pukow* .....May 14
Fengtien, *Tientsin* .. ..May 13
Glenogle, *Vladivostok* .....May 12
Gurna, *Calcutta* .....May 12
Hsinchi, *Foochow* .....May 13
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo* ....May 13
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Hsinming, *Tientsin* .....May 12
Kanchow, *Hongkong* .....May 10
Kiangan, *Hankow* .....May 15
Kiangshun, *Hankow* .....May 12
Kiangteen, *Hankow* .. ..May 14
Kiangfoo, *Hankow* .....May 18
Kiangping, *Chinwangtao* ..May 13
Kiangyu, *Hankow* .....May 17
Kiangwah, *Hankow* .....May 19
Kitano Maru, *Kobe* .....May 17
Kutwo, *Hankow* .....May 12
Liangchow, *Hongkong* ....May 17
Loongwo, *Hankow* .....May 13
Loksang, *Tsingtao* .....May 14
Luenho, *Hankow* .....May 16
Luenyi, *Hankow* .....May 17
Meriones, *Japan* .....May 13
Nagasaki M., *Nagasaki* ..May 17
Nanking, *S. Francisco* ....May 14
Ngankin, *Hankow* .....May 19
Nikko Maru, *Osaka* .....May 16
Omi Maru, *Osaka* .....May 13
Ouderkerk, *Java* .....May 13
Pingwo, *Hankow* .....May 15
Pres. Grant, *Hongkong* ...May 13
Pres. McKinley, *Seattle* ..May 19
Pingwo, *Hankow* .....May 15
Poyang, *Hankow* .....May 16
Sakaki Maru, *Dairen* .....May 17
Saikio Maru, *Dairen* .....May 12
Sardinia, *London* .....May 13
Shanghai Maru, *Nagasaki* May 14
Shuntien, *Tientsin* .....May 15
Sinkiang, *Hongkong* .....May 16
Suiwo, *Hankow* .....May 17
Sunning, *Hongkong* .. ..May 14
Szechuen, *Hongkong* ....May 12
Takeshima Maru, *Yhama* ..May 14
Tatung, *Hankow* .....May 12
Tjikini, *Java* .....May 14
Waishing, *Tientsin* .....May 15
Woosung, *Hankow* .....May 14
Wuchang, *Hankow* .....May 18
Yusang, *Tientsin* .....May 15
Yungshin, *Ningpo* .....May 12

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E/Australia	July 2	July 18	E/Canada	Sept. 24	Oct. 8
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Kamo Maru .....May 13
Shanghai Maru .....May 15
Omi Maru .....May 16
Takeshima Maru ....May 17
Nagasaki Maru .....May 18

FOR VICTORIA, SEATTLE AND VANCOUVER
Iyo Maru ..... May 24

FOR SOUTH AMERICA Via Durban, and Cape Town From Kobe.
Kawachi Maru End of May

FOR EUROPE
Kitano Maru .....May 19
*Dekar Maru End of May
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Calcutta—via Kobe.	JAPAN	June 5
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CORDILLERE	6th April	16th May	9th June
ANGERS	20th April	27th May	23rd June
CHILI	4th May	10th June	7th July
PORTHOS	18th May	24th June	21st July
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TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	9 p.m.	P. Grant	Seattle	May 29
May 19	———	E. of Asia	Vancouver	June 4

TO STRAITS, INDIA & EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	7.30 a.m.	Kashgar	Marseilles	June 16
May 19	———	Kitano Maru	Marseilles	June 24

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok & Siboria	Today	5 p.m.	via Train
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	9 p.m.	Taksang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	1.30 p.m.	Tungchow
Tsingtao and Dairen	May 13	8 a.m.	Saikio M.
Chefoo and Tientsin	May 14	9 p.m.	Hsinming
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	May 15	1.30 p.m.	Fengtien
Antung	May 15	9.30 a.m.	Chengtu

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Hongkong & Canton	Today	7.30 a.m.	Kashgar
Hongkong & Canton	May 12	5 p.m.	Iyo Maru
Swatow	Today	7.30 a.m.	Yingchow
Swatow	May 15	9.30 a.m.	Szechuen
Amoy	May 17	10.30 a.m.	Sunning
Swatow	May 19	10.30 a.m.	Shantung

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Japan ports	Today	7 p.m.	Kamo Maru
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	Today	10 a.m.	Iyo Maru
Japan ports	Today	10 a.m.	Kumano M
River ports	Today	9 p.m.	via Train
Japan ports	May 14	7 p.m.	Shanghai M
Japan ports	May 15	7 p.m.	Omi Maru
Japan ports	May 16	5 p.m.	Sardinia

Information For Mariners

SATURDAY, MAY 12, 1923

(The night tide are higher than the day tides, they are about equal at 6 and 7 o'clock).
Approximate rise, at spring 4¼ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 8¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
10h. 24m.	5ft. 6in.	10h. 46m.	7ft. 8in.

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A.M.		P.M.	
H.	M.	H.	M.
9	6	9	31

Time of Moonrise, Moon set, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon		Sun		Daylight	Dark
Rises	Sets	Rises	Sets		
3.6 a.m.	3.36 p.m.	5h. 9m.	6h. 44m.	4h. 24m.	7h. 29m.

Mean Barometric Pressure.
May 29.88 in.
759.2 mm.

Meteorological Reports

May 12, 1923. SICCAWEI

	May 4.		May 5.	
Sun rises today at 5.12	29.88	29.91	29.81	29.82
Sun rises today at 18.64	–0.06	–0.08	–0.14	–0.16
(inches	–0.07	–0.07	–0.07	–0.09
Barometer (variation for 24 hrs.	ESE	ESE	ESE	ESE
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hrs.	14.9	13.0	11.2	14.3
Wind—direction	66°8	55°8	56°8	66°8
Wind—miles per hour	64	91	96	75
Temperature (Fahr.)	8	0	10	10
Humidity %	—	—	—	—
Nebulosity (0 to 10)				
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)				

April 23

SICCAWEI ABRIDGED REPORT		Jan. 1923.	Variation	24 hrs. Previous average same period
Total rainfall, since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches)		29.93	–0.03	29.97
Temperature (Fahr.)	(Min. 50°5) (Max. 76°8)	63°7	†1°4	61°5
Rainfall (inches)		12.254	0.00	11.87

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

May 12	7.00* San Francisco	†P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
May 12	— Vancouver	Grace Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
May 13	— New York	Tataoka Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
May 13	7.00* Seattle	†P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
May 17	— Vancouver, etc.	Harold Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
May 18	— Boston, New York	Eastern Prince	Br. Furness
May 19	— Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
May. 20	— New York via Suez	E. of Birmingha	Br, J. M. & Co.
May 20	— Seattle	Africa Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
May 24	— Seattle	Iyo Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
May 25	— Seattle	†P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
May 25	— New York via Sues	M. S. Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
May 26	— San Francisco	†P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
May 27	— Portland, Ore.	Hannawa	Am. Lumber Co.
May 28	— San Francisco	†Nanking	Am. China Mail
May 29	— San Francisco	Tenyo Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
May 30	— New York via Sue	Oanfa	Br. B & S
May 31	— Portland, Ore.	West Keats	Am. Lumber Co.
June 2	— New York, Boston	Stanley	Am. Adl. O. Line
June 3	— Portland, Ore.	Wawalona	Am. Lumber Co.
June 4	—Vancouver	†E. of Canada	Br. C.P.S.
June 5	— Seattle	Hawaii Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
June 6	— Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
June 8	— San Francisco	Korea Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
June 9	— San Francisco	†P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
June 16	— Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
June 18	— Seattle	†P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
June 20	— New York via Suez	Keemun	Br. B. & S.
June 21	— San Francisco	†Shinyo Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
June 23	— San Francisco	†P Pierce	Am P.M.S.S. Co
June 25	— New York	Elkton	Am. Adl. O. Line
June 30	— Seattle	†P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
July 2	— Vancouver	†E. of Australia	Br. C.P.S.
July 3	— San Francisco	Siberia M.	Jap. T.K.K.
July 7	— San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am P.M.S.S. Co
July 13	— New York	Hamburg Maru	Jap. O. S. K.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

May. 12	— Moji, Kobe	Kumano Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
May 12	— Kobe	Kamo Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
May 15	— Nagasaki	Shanghai M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
May 16	— Kobe, Yokohama	Cordilliere	Fr. M.M. Cie.
May 16	— Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
May 17	— Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Takeshima M	Jap. N. Y. K.
May 18	— Nagasaki	Nagasaki M	Jap. N. Y. K.

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC

May 12	9.30* London	†Kashgar	Br. M.M. & Co.
May 15	— Rotterdam, ports	Glenogle	Br. G.L.E.A.
May 15	— Liverpool, etc.	Meriones	Br. B & S
May 16	— Rotterdam, etc.	Glaucus	Br. B. & S.
May 16	— Rotterdam	Oostkerk	Dut. H. C. T. Co
May 19	— London	Kitano M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
May 22	— Hamburg, etc.	Glenariffe	Br. G.L.E.A.
May 23	— Hamburg, etc.	Neleus	Br. B & S
May 25	5.00 Marseilles	†Amboise	Fr. M. M. Cie
May 26	— London, etc.	†Nyanza	Br. M. M. & Co
May 27	— Liverpool, etc.	Elpenor	Br. B. & S.
May 30	— Rotterdam, etc.	Automedon	Br. B. & S.
May 31	— Bombay	Soudan	Br. M.M. & Co.
May 31	— Hamburg etc.	Glenamoy	Br. G. L. E. A.
June 2	— London, etc.	Haruna Maru	Jan. N. Y. K.
June 6	— Antwerp, etc.	Eumaeus	Br. B. & S.
June 9	— Marseilles	‡Cordilliere	Fr. M. M. Cie
June 9	— London	†Sardinia	Br. M.M. & Co.
June 9	— Hamburg, etc.	Amur Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
June 12	— Rotterdam, etc.	Onderkerk	Dut. H. C. T. Co
June 13	— Hamburg, etc.	Adrastus	Br. B. & S.
June 15	— Liverpool, etc.	Phemius	Br. B. & S.
June 18	— Hamburg, etc.	Glenapp	Br. G.L.E.A.
June 20	— Rotterdam, etc.	Teiresias	Br. B. & S.
June 23	— Marseilles	†Angers	Fr. M. M. Cie
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June 27	— Hamburg, etc.	Machaon	Br. B. & S.
June 27	— Liverpool, etc.	Cyclops	Br. B. & S.
July 7	— Marseilles	†Chili	Fr. M. M. Cie
July 21	— Marseilles	†Porthos	Fr. M. M. Cie
July 31	— Marseilles	Sarpedon	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 4	— Marseilles	Angkor	Fr. M. M. Cie

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

May 16	— Melbourne, etc.	Aki Maru	Jan. N. Y. K.
June 2	— Melbourne, etc.	†Eastern	Br. M.M. & Co.
July 7	— Melbourne, etc.	†Arafura	Br. M.M. & Co.
Aug. 4	— Melbourne, etc.	†St. Albans	Br. M. M. & Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

May	12	— Hongkong	Iyo Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
May	12	5.30 Ningpo	Yungchin	Chi. N.S.S.N. Co.
May	12	5.30 Ningpo	Hsin Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May	12	noon S. H'kong, C'ton	Yingchow	Br. B. & S.
May	13	— Foochow	Haean	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May	14	5.30 Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi. N.S.S.N Co.
May	14	5.30 Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. B. & S.
May	15	11.00* S. H'kong, C'ton	Szechuen	Br. B. & S.
May	16	D.L. S. H'kong, C'ton	Loksang	Br. J. M. & Co
May	17	noon A. H'kong, C'ton	Sunning	Br. B. & S.
May	18	— Hongkong	E. of Canada	Br. C. P. S.
May	19	noon S. H'kong, C'ton	Shantung	Br. B & S
May	20	— Keelung, etc.	Fukuken M.	Jap. O. S. K.
May	21	— Hongkong, Manila	P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
May	23	— Hongkong	Korea M.	Jap. T. K. K.
May	25	— Hongkong, Manila	P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
May	27	— Hongkong, Manila	Hannawa	Am. Lumber Co.
May	29	— Hongkong	Alabama Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
June	1	— Hongkong	E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
June	2	— Hongkong, Manila	P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
June	3	— Hongkong	Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
June	3	— Hongkong, Manila	Wawalona	Am. Lumber Co.
June	8	— Hongkong, Manila	P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
June	14	— Hongkong, Manila	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

May	12	— Chefoo, Tientsin	Hsinfung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May	12	9.00* Tsingtao	Shantung	Br. B. & S.
May	12	3.00 W. C'foo, T'tsin	Tungchow	Br. B. & S.
May	13	9.30* Tsingtao, Dairen	Saikio Maru	Jan. N.Y.K.
May	13	— Newchwang	Yushun	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May	15	— Chefoo, Tientsin	Hsinming	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May	15	11.00* Antung	Chengtu	Br. B. & S.
May	15	11.00* N'chwang, Dairen	Chihli	Br. B. & S.
May	15	3.00 W. C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br. B. & S.
May	16	D.L. Tsingtao	Yusang	Br. J. M. & Co.
May	17	— Chinwangtao	Kaiping	Br. K M. A.
May	18	noon Tsingtao, Dairen	Sakaki M.	Jap. D. K. K.
May	18	— Dairen, etc.	Seikyo Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
May	31	— Tsingtao, Dairen	West Keats	Am. Lumber Co.

FOR RIVER PORTS

May	12	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Whangpu	Br. B. & S.
May	12	— Chungking	Robert Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
May	13	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May	14	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kianghsin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May	14	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
May	14	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br. B & S
May	15	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
May	15	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br. B. & S.
May	16	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May	16	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br. B. & S.
May	17	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May	17	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br. J. M. & Co
May	17	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Pevang	Br. B. & S.
May	18	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May	18	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
May	18	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Iuenai	Br. B. & S.
May	19	M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.

M. N.—MIDNIGHT D. L.—DAYLIGHT * S.S.
†CARRYING Mails.

Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
F N B	May 6	Altair	Fr. Gun-boat
O D W	———	Cricket	Br. Gun-boat
K N D	May—4	Croanne	Br. Sloop.
B N B	May 5	Diomed	Br. Cruiser
1 C	Apr. 28	Gen. Alava	Am. Yacht
B J	Apr. 22	E.Carlotto	Ital. Gun-boat
1 C	May 4	Isable	Am. Yacht
1 C	Mar. 23	Mantis	Br. Gun-boat
V S N B	Apr. 24	Penfold	Br. Gun-boat
V S N B	May 7	Rainbow	Am. Tender
V S N B	May 5	S. 4	Am. Submarine
V S N B	May 5	S. 6	Am. Submarine
V S N B	May 5	S. 7	Am. Submarine
V S N B	May 5	S. 8	Am. Submarine
B N B	Mar. 12	S. 9	Am. Submarine
	Apr. 23	Seb. Caboto	Ital. Gun-boat
Y T P D W	May 5	Villalobos	Am. Gun-boat

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Excellent Household Furniture and Sundries
Comprising.

Suite Cream Enamel Bedroom Furniture 9 pces, Imitation leather Couch and Arm Chairs, Brass double bedstead with wire and other mattresses, Iron Single Bedsteads, Child's Wooden and Iron Cots, Combination Wardrobe and Chest of drawers, New Underwear, Electric—oscillating table fan, 200 volts, **New Linoleum,** Roll top desk, Set Blackwood teapoys, **A.B.C. Code 5th Edition, Western Union Code,** 7-Lights Electric Chandelier, **Oak frames Old Steel Engravings,** Chinese curios, "Victor" Gramaphone, Ceiling Fan, teak card table, **Duplicator, Kodak Camera,** New Enamel Saucepans, Teakwood Wardrobe, New Ice Chests, **Teak mirror back sideboard,** Dinner Wagon, Dining table and Chairs, **BOOKS,** Crockery and Glassware, Overmantle, Hat stand, Perambulator Etc.

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One Black and White Pointer Pup, 5 months old.
One German Police Dog 1 Year Old (Female).

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Favoured with instructions from the Concerned, will sell by Public Auction at the **Changka Pang Wharf Godown "A" on Saturday, May 12, 1923, at 10.30 a.m. 869 Sacks of American Wheat Flour** more or less damaged by sea water.
Now on view

MIDDLE SALESROOM

On Monday, 14th May, 1923, Commencing at 10 a.m.
USEFUL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES ETC.
Comprising.

Child's high chair, Electric iron, MANDOLIN WITH CASE, "CHICAGO" TYPEWRITER, SAMOVAR, Tennis nets, Croquet set, PHOTOGRAPHIC ACCESSORIES, 1 10" x 12" Camera with tripod, NATIONAL CASH REGISTER, Gilt frame pictures, Revolving postcard rack, Electric bed heater, Wooden box, Steamer Trunk, Electric table fans 220 Volts, Roll top desk, Wooden trays, Porcelain vases, Flower stand, Electric chandelier, Tennis rackets with bags, Books, Pictures and Frames, Commode, and sundries etc.

also

A Large assortment of Gent's and Lady's clothing.
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Favoured with instructions from The Concerned.
Will sell by Public Auction within the Premises
No. 555 Avenue Foch
On Monday, 14th May 1923, Commencing at 10 a.m. and Continuing at 2.30 p.m.

The whole of the Excellent and Superior **Household Furniture** [and Sun]dries.

Hall.—Dark Oakstained hall table, Hall settee, Mirror back hat and umbrella stand, Carved Blackwood marble top Stool, Flower stands, Smoker's table with brass tray, Japanese Satsuma and Cloisonne Vases, Ornaments, Electric lights with globes, **Double spring couch and Arm Chairs etc.**

Drawing Room.—Fine Axminster carpet, Brass fender, fire brasses, Hammered Brass Coal Box, **Silver flower vases, Cut Glass Flower basket, Vases, Heavily carved Canton Blackwood Curio Cabinet Blackwood Drawing Room Chairs,** Stools, flower stands, and Centre table, Lacquered teapoys, **Large Brass Jardinieres, Mahogany-stained tapestry covered Drawing Room Suite, Pictures,** White enamelled mantel mirror, etc.

Dining Room.—Brass fender, Fire Brasses, Brass coal box, **Axminster Carpet,** Mantel Mirror, Brass Ornaments, Japanese Cloisonne vases, **Teak Mahoganystained bevelled mirror back Sideboard,** Dinner wagon, Screen, Extension Dining table Leather covered dining chairs, Silver ware cabinet, Plush upholstered Couch and arm chairs, Carved Blackwood marble top stands, Smoker's table with brass tray, **Chinese Silver tea set, Silver ware, Good E. P. Ware, Crockery and Glass ware,** Pictures etc.

Contents of 3 Bedrooms.—Good Axminster Carpets, Black fur rugs, White enamelled mantel mirrors, **White enamelled Bevelled mirror door large wardrobes,** Oval bevelled mirror back dressing tables, Chest of drawers, Screens, Rattan chairs, Lady's work basket, Table, Double spring Couch and arm chairs, **White enamelled Brass mounted single bedsteads,** Linen Cupboard, Matting, Toilet crockery, **Silk tapestry covered Box Sofa, Arm Chairs, Bed and Ta**ble Linen etc., etc.

Bath Room.—Lavatory Basin, Enamelled Iron Bath, Geyser, Mirror, Medicine cabinet Glass shelf, Wringer etc., etc.

Pantry and Kitchen.—Ice Chests, Cooking stove, Filter Meat safe, Table, Cooking utensils etc.

also

1 Victor Victrola and Records.
1 Iron Garden Roller.

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W. Funder & Co.

Auctioneers, Real Estate Agents, Adjusters, Appraisers, and Coal Merchants
will sell by Public Auction within their Salesroom
No. 40A Kiangse Road
on
Saturday, the 12th May
At 10 a.m.
Useful Household and Office Furniture and sundries.
Comprising:

Teakwood mahogany stained tapestry covered drawing room furniture, centre table, double spring Chesterfield couch and arm chairs, overmantle, oak stained bevel-edged mirror back sideboard, dinner wagon, extension dining table and chairs, mahogany stained bedroom furniture, white enamelled double single iron bedstead, sofa, ice chest, flat high desk, telephone house, counter table, office chairs, sewing machine, iron safe, brass cuspidor, pictures, cinema films, opera glass, lady's money purse and hand bags, riding and fancy evening dress, old clothing, hats, shoes, boots, and sundries, etc., etc.

also

Two "Remington" typewriters No. 11.
One Wire Stretcher.
One steel filing cabinet.
One 16" oscillating table fan, 200 volts.

On view Friday

W. Funder & Co.

Auctioneers, Real Estate Agents, Adjusters, Appraisers, and Coal Merchants
Having been favoured with instructions from
THE CONCERNED
will sell by Public Auction
At The Chang Ka Pang Wharf Godown "B"
on
Monday, the 14th May
At 10.30 a.m.

879 Bags of flour Sun Dah (two pony chop slightly damaged Ex. s.s. "Westmomentum."
Launch will leave the Customs Jetty at 9.30 a.m.

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Auctioneers, Real Estate Agents, Adjusters, Appraisers and Coal Merchants
Having been favoured with instructions from The Concerned will sell by Public Auction
At No. 17 Wong Ka Shaw Gardens
on
Wednesday, the 23rd May, Commencing at 10 a.m.
Excellent household furniture and effects.
Comprising:

Hall, Drawing room, Dining room, Bedrooms, Bath Room.
Pantry and Kitchen requesites,
Hat and umbrella stand, coir mats, pictures, vases, Axminster carpets, tapestry covered white enamelled drawing room furniture, curio cabinets, blackwood stand fire screens, white enamelled teapoys, mirror back sideboard, dinner wagon, extension dining table and chairs, screens side tables, lace curtains, E. P., glass, and crockery ware, Brussels carpets, oakwood mirror back bedroom furniture, white enamelled double iron wooden bedsteads with horse hair and kapock mattress, wicker furniture, screen, mirror door wardrobe, bookcase, books, Soochow bath, medicine chest, shoe chest, toilet set, towel rack, shaving mirror, etc., Pantry and Kitchen as usual electric fitting throughout.

also

One Fine toned cottage piano by Steinhardt (Stuttgart).
One "Junker-Ruh" Stove.
One "Victor" victrola with records.
One 4-blade electric ceiling fan, 210 volts.

On view Monday and Sunday

W. Funder & Co.

Auctioneers, Real Estate Agents, Adjusters, Appraisers, and Coal Merchants
will sell by Public Auction within their Godown
No. 40A Kiangse Road
On
Tuesday, the 15th May
At 2.30 p.m.
Sundry Cargo
Comprising:

Champagne glasses, lamp chimneys, scissors, pocket knives, cornflour, biscuits, "803" playing cards, cigarette paper, 75 bags flour slightly damaged, assorted provisions, and sundries, etc., etc.

also

Two Packing machines.
One lathe, 5 ft.
One lathe, 4 ft.

On view morning of sale

American-Asiatic Co.

Having been favoured with instructions from the concerned
WILL SELL
At No. 146 AVENUE ROAD
On Tuesday, 15th May, 1923,
Commencing at 10 a.m.
and
Continuing at 2.30 p.m.
SUPERIOR
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS
Comprising:

Hall.—Solid Teakwood Hall Table, Morocco Leather covered Hall seat, Teakwood Mirror back Hat and Umbrella stand Porcelain, Jardiniere with Coloured Picture in gilt Frame, wall clock, **Persian Carpet,** Porcelain Base wall Plates, Etc., Etc.

Study.—Persian Carpet, 4 Fold fine Screen with Blue and white Porcelain Panels, Blackwood Hearth Stool, Mahogany stained mirror back corner Cabinet, Lacquered center Table, Blackwood Side Table and Teapoys, Silk Brocade Curtains, Porcelain Inlaid Wall Panels **Taffeta Covered,** Double spring couch and arm Chairs, Bronze Vases, Photogravures, Etc., Etc.

Drawing Room.—Tientsin Carpet, Brass Fender, Fire Brasses Onyx Table Clock and statuette Canton Blackwood Marble top Flower stands, **Green Plush covered couch and Easy Chairs,** Marble Bust Fitted Electric Light Fitting Mahogany Stained Mirror back Curio Cabinet, Blackwood Long Table, Dumbwaiter, Green Plush covered Drawing Room Suite, Chinese Satin Curtains, ornaments, Etc., Etc.

Dining Room.—Green Brussels Carpet, Brass Fender, Fire Brasses, Leather covered couch and Easy chairs, Photogravures, Mahogany Stained Dining Room Suite with Bevelled Mirrors, Lacquered side Table, Good E. P. Ware, Cutglass and Crockery ware, coloured Pictures, Blue and White Vases and Wall Plates, Etc., Etc.

Staircase and Landing.—Persian Stair Carpet, Marble top Oblong Table, Linen Cupboard, Tapestry Covered Couch and Arm Chairs, Etc., Etc.

5 Bed and Bathrooms.—Double and single Brass Bedsteads with Bedding, Blackwood Floor Lamp Folding Table, **Mahogany stained Oakwood, Dark oak stained Bedroom suites** with bevelled edge mirrors, Centre Table Electric Table lamps, Lace curtains, Bed linen, Etc., Etc.

and

Pantry and Kitchen as usual.

also

1 Fine toned cottage Piano by Pleyel Wolff."
1 "Pathephone with electric motor, starter and 2 Reproducers.
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3 Electric Oscillating Fans 200 Volts.
1 "J. Frost" white Enamelled Ice Chest.
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On view on Saturday, Sunday and Monday May 12, 13 & 14th 1923
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At their Salesroom
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Commencing at 10.00 a.m.
Household Furniture and Sundry Cargo

Oakwood Dining Room suite, white Painted Ice Chest, Dark stained Bedroom suite with Bevelled Edge Mirror, Blue Drill Covered Couch and Arm Chairs, Writing Table, Fans, Table Lamps, Electric Table Fans.

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1 Enamelled Iron Bath.

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Per C.M. s.s. Kianghsin for Hankow: Mr. B. B. Chapman.

Per C.M. s.s. Hsinfung for Chefoo: Mr. and Mrs. Ridler, Mr. Shen Hung.

Per M.M. s.s. Andre Lebon for Marseilles: Mrs. H. Bee, Misses Jeanne and Odette Bee, J. Heimendinger, Mr. and Mrs. M. Hoimendinger, Mr. and Mrs. L. Rognon, Mr. and Mrs. R. Callard, Mr. ad Mrs. G. H. Alabater, Misses Alabaster, Mrs. S. Moutrie, Mr. and Mrs. H. Heusch, Miss S. Heusch, Messrs. F. Heusch, A. Heimendinger, B. Baud, H. M. Concoff, Armand Jacquet, J. D'Almeida, Roger and Marcel Tambrun, Denise and Andre Tambrun, F. Haussmann, R. S. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dupont, Mr. and Mrs. G. Robb, Miss May Buchholz, Mr. and Mrs. E. Peres, Commandant and Mr. R. Tambrun, Mrs. P. Cuvier, Mr. and Mrs. E. de Thal, Miss A. J. Blackmore, Mr. and Mrs. F. Van der Schueren, Miss Jeanne Van der Schueren, Messrs. Pierre Van der Schueren, F. Smith, P. C. King, W. Barker, D. Conings, Rene and Blanche Conings, Jean Dereck, Mr. and Mrs. J. Karp, Mr. and Mrs. Victorsen and two children, Sa Grandeur Monseigneur L. Janssens, Mrs. M. Mescherskais, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Funkel, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Leddi, Mrs. C. Lavie, Miss C. Lavie, Mrs. J. and Miss J. Lucas, Messrs. Y. Lucas, Gersh Levin, J. Lerman, Guy Rischer, P. Roy, Hu Shueh-shan, L. Liu, C. L. Wang, P. T. Chang, H. H. Wang, Y. H. Wang, T. Wang, C. C. Liu, I. Y. Chang, Ouang Tseng, Seng Fah-ching, Wang Yue-tsien, B. Kolz, Thomas Thomason, P. Vna, L. Lemoine, A. I. Sharow; for Port Said: Mrs. G. Romanova, Messrs. L. Grinbaum, M. Rickoff; for Singapore: Mr. and Mrs. Dodd; for Saigon: Mr. and Mrs. E. Outrey, Mrs. Luang Thi-su, Miss N. Beaussier, Messrs. B. I. Graves, H. Pommez, G. Weavel, Pin Ngoc-Thu, J. Madec, E. Udo, D. Colin, J. David, E. Duffourg, P. Lemasson, F. Wolff, E. Laccourrage, A. Barte, Vo Van-dua; for Hongkong: Mr. and Mrs. L. Cunis and child, Messrs. V. Gartside, P. L. Fung, W. A. Wang, Paul Verdayne, C. Tumentzoff, A. and G. Humentzoff, Sio Tse-ching, M. S. Kwa, Murray.

Passengers Arrived

Per C.M. s.s. Kianghsin from Hankow: Mr. T. Knox, Miss Stilwell.

Per C.N. s.s. Tungchow from Tientsin: Mr. Pearman from Chefoo: Messrs. H. Jones, R. M. Reill.

Per P.M. s.s. President Lincoln from Manila and Hongkong: Messrs. W. F. Barnes, C. H. Blake, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Carvalho and infant, Messrs. Chan Wai-ping, Cheng Tsz-ka, Major General Sir J. S. and Lady Fowler, Misses L. and M. Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Foster, Mrs. Anabel F. Gregg, Rev. J. M. Henry, Mrs. J. C. Hutton, Miss L. Hutton, Mr. J. C. Hutton Jr., Lieut. W. J. Humphrey, Miss M. Jordan, Mr. J. G. W. King, Rev. C. C. Landis, Messrs. Loo Pou-seng, Lai Manchuen, Lee Wan-kuk, Mr. and Mrs. Lam Ping, Mr. and Mrs. Li Jimkei, Mr. C. S. Lau, Miss Li Muchen, Mrs. K. E. Murphy, Messrs. A. F. McEvan, Rene A. May, G. Norris, J. Silva, Mrs. A. W. Wichman, Messrs. W. W. Wilson, Tuan Shiu-tsai, Rev. and Mrs. Robert Wear, Masters John Wear, Robert Wear Jr., Miss Katherine Wear, Through passengers for San Francisco: Mr. Jose Araneta, Dr. T. Amundson, Messrs. E. A. Alisberg, W. Bowsan, O. Bensen, Mrs. W. Cannon, Mrs. S. S. Church, Mrs. Ruby L. Dwyre, Miss Florance D. Diment, Mr. and Mrs. G. Duclos, Messrs. H. J. Donaldson, A Fainerman, Miss R. Goldenberg, Mr. Robert J. Harrison, Mrs. Ethel Hall, Mr. S. E. Kelsey, Mrs. Bayard Lyon, Miss Margaret Lyon, Masters Lean and Hugh Lyon, Mr. Eduardo R. Matute, Mr. A. N. Maxwell, Mrs. Augusta McCall, Mrs. P. McDonough, Mr. John McDaniel, Mrs. G. G. Neilson, Messrs. Joseph C. Price, Chas P. Sheeby, Mrs. E. M. Stout, Messrs. W. Slagle, R. Scott; for Yokohama: Messrs. E. M. Wilson, A. Alves.

Weather Report

May 10.—High pressures over our regions and over Japan. The China Sea depression is crossing ENE ward northern Luzon. Variable winds all along the China coast. Cyclonic circulation over Luzon. Very fine and warm weather in China and in Tongking. Overcast and hot day in the Philippines.

May 11.—Very fine weather. Normal and steady pressure Light southerly breezes.

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